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Weather
Today and Thursday — Mostly fair, scattered snowflurries, lower temperature.
Sun rises Thursday 9:37. Sets 5:15. Light up vehicles by 5:35; light up aircraft by 17:45 hours.
Edmonton Temperatures — Tuesday, maximum, 40 above; Wednesday, minimum, 27 above. Estimated low tonight, 20; estimated high tomorrow, 30.

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Turks Militarize All Dardanelles In Swift Series of Warlike Moves

Entry Into War Hinted After Conference at Cairo

By JOHN F. CHESTER

CAIRO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt announced last night the conclusion of a three-day conference here with President Ismet Inonu of Turkey in which they studied the general political situation, "examined at length the policy to be followed" and found that their countries are bound by "the closest unity."

The "firm friendship" between strategic Turkey and the Soviet Union, which was represented at most of the sessions, also was attested to in a joint communique on the parley, a significant sequel to the conferences in which Churchill and Roosevelt mapped the war around the world with President Chiang Kai-shek at Cairo and Premier Stalin at Teheran.

Immediate reaction in Cairo last night was that a full-scale Allied Balkans campaign is planned for the future with the assurance that Turkey would co-operate directly or in some degree facilitate a drive against this back-door to Hitler's Europe.

WAR ENTRY EXPECTED

(A dispatch concerning the meeting written Dec. 4 by William B. King, Associated Press correspondent in Ankara, and relayed only Tuesday night said "There seems little doubt the conference is in preparation for Turkish entry into the war, although military action may still be delayed for a couple of months." King said that Ismet had left his capital "prepared to discuss all angles of Turkey's new relationship with the Allies and to the war.")

The conference was held Dec. 4, 5 and 6, with Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and Numan Menemencioglu sitting in with the prin-

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New Wage Order Delayed For Day

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Labor department officials said today release of the government's new wage-control order, originally expected today, will probably be delayed until tomorrow.

Along with the order, the department proposes making public a memorandum explaining differences between the new regulations and those now in effect.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced the new order in a radio address Saturday night.

Tiny Baby Dies

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. — (AP) — Mary Ann Maceli, who weighed only 26 ounces at her premature birth Nov. 27, died today after medical science had fought for 11 days to keep her alive. The infant, less than a foot in length, was born three months prematurely.

Dies in Moncton

MONCTON, N.B., Dec. 8.—(CP) —Mrs. Alvina Leger, wife of Senator A. J. Leger, died at her home here yesterday after an illness of two months.

Near Goose Lake

North Alberta Soldier Killed While on Leave

Trooper Clifford Whitford, on leave from Camp Borden, Ont., to his home near Goose Lake, was killed about 5 p.m. Tuesday, when the wagon in which he and a younger brother were riding, overturned on an icy hill, pinning him beneath the box.

The brother, 15-year-old Lester Whitford, also thrown under the box, was uninjured, and managed to kick out end boards and get out.

The tragedy occurred while Trooper Whitford was on his way to Lac La Biche to get a train back to Camp Borden.

According to information received at R.C.M.P. headquarters here, the brothers were about three miles south of Lac La Biche, when the wagon skidded on an icy hill. Although they tried to prevent the vehicle from overturning, it capsized, and the team, becoming frightened, ran away, leaving the overturned box behind.

SKULL FRACTURED

Arriving on the scene about 6 p.m. an officer from the Lac La Biche detachment, R.C.M.P., found Whitman had been bleeding from the ears, nose and mouth. It was evident, it was stated, that his skull had been fractured.

The body was removed to Lac La Biche, and father of the young man notified. A coroner was called and it was understood that no inquest would be held.

Court Rules Man Master Of Own Home

LONDON, Dec. 8. — (CP) — British courts, which recently ruled that money saved by a wife in her housekeeping accounts belongs not to her but to her husband, dealt wives another jolt today.

A magistrate in Tonbridge, market-town southeast of London, ruled that a husband has the right to decide who is to enter his home, including in-laws. The case before the bench involved a wife seeking a separation from her husband who was employed out of town. Coming home for occasional week-ends, she charged, he objected to finding her sister there as an overnight guest.

The chairman of the bench dismissed her application, ruling that a "wife must realize that a husband is the master in his own house," and is entitled to rule on those who cross his threshold.

Special Security Measures at Rock

LONDON, Dec. 8. — (CP) — The Vichy radio said last night that special security measures were invoked in Gibraltar Monday in connection with the arrival of three big planes believed bringing back members of the Teheran and Cairo conferences.

Leaders of Three Great Powers Plan Defeat of Germany

Marshal Josef Stalin, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill pose on the portico of the Russian embassy in Teheran. Stalin wears the Order of the Red Star on his tunic and Churchill wears the uniform of R.A.F. air marshal. The three leaders decided on operations for the total destruction of Germany's armed might.

Victory Coming

Hard War "Still In Front of Us" Declares Smuts

CAIRO, Dec. 8—(AP)—Field Marshal Jan Christiaan Smuts, prime minister of the Union of South Africa, told a press conference today that "Things are shaping for victory but a great war is still in front of us."

"I find everywhere the feeling that things are on the march," the prime minister said. "I sensed it in England. Something is taking shape before us that is still dim. But we have seen what happened in Russia. We have seen what is stirring in the Far East, where things have been asleep for thousands of years."

"OLD WORLD IS DEAD"

Field Marshal Smuts addressed a group of 70 war correspondents in the press room of the Cairo conferences, in which he was a participant.

He told the correspondents that "The old world is dead and the significance of this war is that it is the first step to new opportunities in which the press must play a greater part."

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By HARRISON SALISBURY
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CAIRO, Dec. 8.—Turkey has militarized the entire Dardanelles zone in an intensified program of warlike moves climaxed by a shift into the Allied camp as a benevolent non - belligerent, reports presaging an explosion in the tense Balkan situation said today.

(A British United Press dispatch filed from Ankara last Thursday said Turkey was calling up 1,000,000 more men to double the country's armed strength this month).

Advices reaching Cairo in the wake of the Anglo-American-Turkish conference here said the Turks had laid out zones three miles wide on both sides of the Dardanelles and put them under strict military rule.

The historic Dardanelles gateway between the Mediterranean and Black Sea lies below the border of European Turkey, near which the Germans were reported massing considerable armed strength. Among the security measures taken by the Turks in recent weeks, according to reports here, was the arrest of many persons suspected of espionage for the Nazis, described as on the upsweep recently.

CHECKING FASCISTS

Turkish police also were keeping close watch over Italians with Fascist sympathies, especially in the Istanbul area where there are about 75,000 Italians. All of them were under close supervision and their names were on police registers.

Since 1937 the Turks have built a dense network of positions suitable for both defence and attack along the Dardanelles. High Turkish army officers have repeatedly expressed their confidence that any attack would fail.

While foreign experts believe the Turkish army is short of modern equipment, they are unanimous in agreeing that the morale of Turkish troops is high and their discipline is excellent. The Turk traditionally is a first class warrior.

Important Move By Turkey Seen Within Few Days

LONDON, Dec. 8 — (CP) — A new move by Turkey within the next few days giving clear-cut implications to the Cairo meeting of Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and President Inonu of Turkey was predicted today by London morning newspapers.

While some papers were more enthusiastic than others, few suggested the Turks would take up arms against the Nazis and the Daily Herald said "it is possible that reluctant as the Germans are for any further commitments, they may, if they feel really sure Turkey means to join in, strike first."

The Daily Mail pointed out Turkey's position "can only be clarified by a new declaration from the Turkish government," and added that such a declaration "definitely is expected to come from Ankara in the next few days."

Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express noted "the smallest of the three conferences has aroused the greatest reaction from the enemy."

Destroyer Lost

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—The admiralty today announced the loss of the destroyer Dulverton, commanded by Cmdr. S. A. Buss. The Dulverton was a new destroyer.

Pioneer Western Financier Passes

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Lieut. Col. Hugh F. Osler, 62, pioneer western financier, soldier and sportsman, died today in his home here. He came to Winnipeg from Toronto in 1903.

Mr. Osler was president of Osler, Hammond and Nanton, Limited, and a director of many financial and industrial firms.

Among the enterprises with which he was associated was the Manitoba Cartage Company, the Calgary and Edmonton Corporation Limited, Great West Life Assurance Company, North Star Oil Limited and the Winnipeg Better Business Bureau. He was appointed member of the Canadian committee of the Hudson's Bay Company in 1939.

Four of his sons are on active service in the present war.

Dies in Ottawa

OTTAWA, Dec. 8 — (CP) — Mrs. Mary Daly, wife of P. D. Ross, publisher of the Ottawa Journal, died early today. A semi-invalid for some years, she was in her 70's.

By Allies

Balkan Smash Seen as Result Turkey's Action

By WADE WERNER

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Turkey's new alignment in "closest unity" with the Big Three powers was seen here last night as a prelude to a Balkan smash calculated to precipitate the collapse of Adolf Hitler's already tottering satellites, Bulgaria and Rumania.

The terse Cairo communique issued after the three-day talks among President Ismet Inonu of Turkey, Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt did not disclose whether it meant the outright entry of Turkey into the war or friendly neutrality under which Turkish air bases might be placed at the disposal of the Allies—as Portugal granted bases in the Azores.

It is likely strategy of the big powers to keep Germany guessing to the last minute, but the effect on Bulgaria and Rumania of the news that Turkey is pledged to "closest unity" with the chief destroyers of Hitler's clan is expected to be explosive. Repercussion in Hungary also is likely.

LONG FRIENDSHIP

A long tradition of friendship with Russia has kept Bulgaria out of hostilities against the Soviet Union despite her satellite status with Germany. It is a question whether German troops garrisoned in Bulgaria could compel resistance against any Balkan invasion in which Russia participated.

Rumania, viewing the approach of the Red Army to her northeastern border, must see in the Turkish - Russian - British - American accord a fateful warning that her only hope is to break.

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Hitler Newspaper Assails Neutrals

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Hitler's newspaper Voelkischer Beobachter was quoted by the Berlin radio today as assailing neutral countries for their reaction to the Allied Middle East conferences and expressing the "safe prediction" that such neutrals "would perform another about face if the political and military situation should take a different course."

Saskatoon Bank Manager Passes

SASKATOON, Sask., Dec. 8. — (CP)—William Arthur Shields, 58, manager of the Saskatoon branch of the Bank of Montreal, died yesterday in Montreal, his family said tonight. Mr. Shields had gone to Montreal to attend his firm's annual meeting.

Collaboration in Peace

Closer U.S. Unity With Latin-American Nations Urged by Sumner Welles

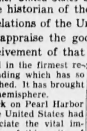
This is the second of a series of articles by Sumner Welles, former United States Under Secretary of State, which appear exclusively each Wednesday in The Edmonton Bulletin.—EDITOR.

By SUMNER WELLES
Former United States Under Secretary of State

When the historian of the future assays the conduct of the foreign relations of the United States during the last decade he will appraise the good-neighbor policy as the outstanding acheivement of that period.

It has resulted in the firmest regional understanding which has so far been established. It has brought about a united hemisphere.

After the attack on Pearl Harbor the people of the United States had reason to appreciate the vital importance to them of this unity of the New World. Had that unity not existed, our ability to take effective part in the war in North Africa and in the Pacific would not only have been greatly retarded, but might, at least temporarily, have been wholly impeded.



Sumner Welles

Reasons of military security have as yet made it impossible for the public to know how vital the assistance was which Brazil gave us in that early stage of our war effort, and how much

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Noted Bush Pilot Gets Posthumous Award of Medal

WHITEHORSE, Y.T., Dec. 8 (AP)—The U.S. Army Air Medal awarded posthumously to Leslie Cook, Canadian "bush pilot" from Pincher Station, Alta., will be presented to Leslie Cook, Jr., a son, here Thursday.

Cook, pilot on many a mercy flight over the wilderness, lost his life a year ago. The medal award is for a daring night flight to bring medical officers to an American Army sergeant who was stricken with acute appendicitis at an isolated spot on the Alaska Highway 167 miles north of here.

Brig.-Gen. Clarence A. O'Connor, commanding the Northwest Service Command, will make the presentation to Leslie Cook, Jr.

King Recovers

CAIRO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—King Farouk I, apparently fully recovered from a hip injury suffered Nov. 15 in an automobile accident, returned to Abdin palace yesterday from the Kassassin Military hospital.

U.S. Forces Sink Six Jap Vessels

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—United States Carrier Task forces which attacked the Marshall Islands Dec. 4 sank six enemy vessels, damaged four others, and destroyed at least 72 enemy planes, the Navy announced today.

In a communique released simultaneously here and at Pearl Harbor, the Navy said the Task forces, in attacking enemy installations on Kwajalein and Wotje Atolls, sank two light cruisers, one oiler and three cargo transports, and damaged one troop transport and three cargo transports.

One United States ship suffered minor damage, and aircraft losses were light.

Many in Sofia Expect Bulgaria Break With Nazis

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Many persons in Sofia expect Bulgaria will follow Italy's example and break with the Germans, the newspaper Allehanda said today in a dispatch from Istanbul.

The dispatch said if there is an invasion of the Balkans Bulgarians generally want to be on the side of the Allies.

It added great nervousness persists in Sofia, heightened by the fact that the Bulgarian ministers in Berlin, Moscow and Ankara now are home for conferences and a Russian military mission is visiting the Bulgarian capital.

Lawyer Jailed

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—(CP)—A. J. Costigan, Winnipeg barrister, today was found guilty of charges of perjury and conspiracy in connection with a divorce case, and sentenced to penitentiary for three years in criminal court here.

By Government

1943 Acreage In Wheat Asked For Next Year

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—A. M. Shaw of the Federal Agricultural Department, announced today at the Dominion-Provincial agriculture conference that it has been decided to recommend that the Canadian wheat acreage in 1944 be kept at the same level as in 1943. The 1943 acreage was 17,488,000.

An increase of four per cent in 1944 oats acreage from 1943 had been suggested, but the conference had agreed to make the increase six per cent, Mr. Shaw said. Last year's oats acreage was 15,407,000.

The preliminary suggestion placed before the conference was that barley be left at the 8,397,000 acres of 1943, but the conference had agreed to a one per cent increase for 1944.

The mixed grains objective was set at 1,760,000 acres, up 20 per cent., and the rye acreage at 500,000, down 13 per cent.

CORN IS NEEDED

Mr. Shaw said corn for husking was urgently needed and an increase of 56 per cent in the 1943 acreage of 257,000 acres had been

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At Conference

Gardiner Suggests Farmers Keep 1942 Hog Output Level

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Agriculture Minister Gardiner said today before the closing session of the Dominion-provincial agriculture conference that Canadian farmers should seek to maintain the 600,000,000-pound level of 1942 in providing bacon to the United Kingdom next year.

Mr. Gardiner said he hopes "every possible effort" will be made to achieve that objective.

In 1943 the Dominion's aim has been to provide the United Kingdom with 675,000,000 pounds. Oct. 22 Mr. Gardiner announced bacon shipments to Britain would be not less than 450,000,000 pounds in each of the next two years, under a new agreement.

(R) Hon. J. J. Llewellin, British food minister, told the conference yesterday that if no more than 450,000,000 pounds were shipped in a year he might have to cut the British bacon ration from four to three ounces a week.)

RECORDS STATEMENT

Mr. Gardiner placed on the record a statement he made in Regina Dec. 1 stating that in view of the

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Eden Meets Greek, Yugoslav Leaders

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Cairo today said that Foreign Secretary Eden had met King George II and Premier Tsouderos of Greece, and King Peter of Yugoslavia. Prime Minister Churchill was reported to have seen Iraq's regent, Emir Abdul Ilah.

Life Sentence

SIGOURNEY, Ia., Dec. 8.—Carl N. Knox, 29, Sigourney livestock buyer, yesterday was sentenced to life imprisonment on a charge of first degree murder growing out of the beating and poisoning of his 69-year-old invalid father, Walker Knox, last July 21.

Donate Today

Not Forgotten Fund Helps Gallant Wounded Soldiers

If someone is depending on you for the discharge of a certain duty, you do everything in your power to fulfill your mission. The soldier patients in the Military Ward of the University hospital are relying on you for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and they know you will not fail. You can demonstrate your desire to stand by them by donating to The Not Forgotten Fund.

Each year since cessation of hostilities on the Western Front in 1918, The Edmonton Bulletin has opened its columns to receive donations to The Not Forgotten Fund, which has as its objective the provision of a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year for the soldier patients of the Military Ward of the University hospital.

Each year Bulletin readers have "come through" splendidly and the boys on the hospital cots know the same situation will prevail this year.

But time is speeding along. Don't postpone the day of sending in your donation, or you might let it slip in the last-minute rush of your own Christmas shopping. So, send it in today and you will look forward to the enjoyment of Christmas with greater satisfaction, knowing that gladly you have made a contribution to the pleasure of others.

ALL FOR THE BOYS

There are no administration or overhead costs to The Not Forgotten Fund. Every cent subscribed is applied toward giving the soldier patients a bang-up good time.

Send in your donation today and it will be acknowledged in these columns.

Previously acknowledged	$294.45
D. Keating	1.00
466365, Jeffrey P.O.	1.00
McDougall & Secord Limited	5.00
Total	$301.45

Gleanings From Today's Want Ads

Turn to Pages 12 and 13.

FOR sale, Ross rifle 303, excellent condition. Price $45. Box ... Apply ... (Heading 28—Articles for Sale)

SALE, C.C.M. cadet bicycle, like new. Apply ... (Heading 28—Bikes and Motorcycles)

HOUSEKEEPING room or rooms or 4 or 5 room cottage. Apply ... (Heading 32—Suites Wtd.)

URGENTLY needed, washing machine, good condition. Apply ... (Heading 32—Articles Wtd.)

WOMAN wants housework, 3-4 hours daily. Box ... (Heading 26—Female Sits Wtd.)

FOR sale, 16x32' house, lights. Immediate possession. Apply ... (Heading 13—Houses for Sale)

SALE heavy 6 hole coal range, old style. Apply ... (Heading 28—Sale Misc.)

Deaths Recorded Today

Mrs. Josephine Highcock.
Mrs. Georgina Mary Rose.
Mr. William Delawski.
Mr. Joseph Malanchton Reeves (Sr.).
Mr. Lorne B. Goodridge.
Mr. Nelson Kitchen.
Baby Linda Louise Harper.

Independents Draft Platform For Convention

Selection of a provincial leader of the Independent party, and approval of a platform will be the major decisions to be reached at the party's convention to be held at Calgary, Jan. 17, it was announced Wednesday by J. Percy Page, M.L.A. for Edmonton and president of the Independent Citizens' Association of Alberta.

"On several occasions I have announced that the platform upon which the candidates of the I.C.A.A. will appeal for support at the next provincial election will be decided upon at our provincial convention which will be held in Calgary on Jan. 17. A provincial leader will be selected at the same time," said Mr Page.

"We have had special committees working on the platform for several weeks, and the reports of these committees will be received and discussed at the convention. They will then be consolidated, and the final draft of the platform will be announced.

"Despite the fact that these plans have been announced on several occasions, our opponents in the Red Deer by-election are attempting to make capital of the fact that we have not as yet made any public announcement of our platform. To meet this criticism, I am releasing a skeleton report submitted by the program committee, and which will be offered for adoption at our convention. However, I wish to make these points perfectly clear: the details of the report have not yet been fully worked out, and, secondly, it cannot be regarded as 'official' until it is approved at the provincial convention.

SUBMITS REPORT

"With these reservations, I submit the report for the approval of the electors of the Red Deer constituency, and have pleasure in stating that they have the full approval of the Independent candidate, Wilfred J. Edgar."

Details of the report are as follows:

Agriculture: 1—The right of the farmer to complete ownership of his land, as well as his right to dispose of it at his death as he may see fit; 2—Equity of farm prices, guarantee of minimum prices sufficient to cover the cost of production and a standard of living comparable to that enjoyed by urban dwellers; 3—Every encouragement and assistance to producer and consumer co-operatives; 4—Supervisory function of the government, 4—Farmer representation on all provincial and dominion boards; 5—Development of rural electrification.

Soldier Re-Establishment: Complete re-establishment of all ex-servicemen and ex-service women, and the creation of a Ministry of Soldier Re-establishment, with headquarters at Edmonton, and the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion.

Education: Assumption by the province and the dominion of a greater share of the cost of education, with special attention to technical and agricultural training, thus providing a greater opportunity for Alberta youth.

WOULD ABOLISH TAX

Taxation: 1—Abolition of the Social Services Tax; 2—Revision of the tax structure with a fairer division of the revenues as among the Dominion, the province, and the municipalities.

Public Ownership: Public ownership of public utilities.

Roads: Increased grants to rural municipalities for the purpose of constructing and maintaining rural and market roads.

Social Security: Adoption of a social security plan for Canada patterned after the Beveridge report for Great Britain, with provincial co-operation therein.

Housing: encouragement of home building by full co-operation in a Dominion housing plan.

DIGNITY OF LABOR

Labor: Recognition of the dignity of labor, and the right of collective bargaining for all workers.

Post-war Planning: Scientific research, and development of our natural resources with a view to establishing new industries and providing work for all Alberta citizens who are anxious to work.

Youth: Recognition of the needs of Youth, and the adoption of a modern Youth program.

Cost of Government: Reduction in the cost of provincial government administration through the elimination of needless expenditures. Refunding of the provincial debt at reduced interest rates.

Plan Legation

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 8.—(AP)—A bill authorizing establishment of a Mexican diplomatic legation in Canada was introduced yesterday in the senate. The bill sets out that the move would help promote hemispheric solidarity.

Cobb Improves

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. — (AP) — Irvin S. Cobb, 67, prominent author, who was reported "quite sick" yesterday at his home, was getting along very well" last night, his wife said. Cobb recently underwent a hospital check-up.

The Weather

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Kenora	20	23	Pr. Albert	36	18
Winnipeg	31	38	N. Battle	36	14
Brandon	34	32	S. Current	35	32
The Pas	18	14	Med. Hat	30	20
Regina	36	30	Lethbridge	42	29
Moose Jaw	38	24	Calgary	40	30
Saskatoon	34	18	Edmonton	40	31

THE FORECASTS

Alberta—Generally fair and a little colder tonight and Thursday with scattered snow flurries.

Saskatchewan—Fresh to strong winds generally fair and colder tonight and Thursday with scattered snow flurries.

Manitoba—Fresh winds and colder tonight and Thursday with snow flurries.

Peace River District — Somewhat colder tonight and Thursday with scattered snow flurries.

Dewey Is Declared Leader For 1944 G.O.P. Nomination

NEW YORK, Dec. 8. — (AP) — Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York is "the outstanding possibility" for the Republican presidential nomination in the United States next year, in the opinion of Alf M. Landon, 1936 Republican candidate for president.

Reds Roll Up Troops to Face Nazi Assaults

By HENRY SHAPIRO

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MOSCOW, Dec. 8.—The Red army was reported pouring troops and war tools across the middle Dnieper today to counter intense German pressure on the nose of the Kiev salient which had forced the Russians from several position along the Zhitomir-Korosten railroad.

The Soviet losses in the Chernikhov area west of Kiev were offset partially by gains west and southwest of Kremenchug, where the Russians mopped up northwest of Znamenka and which had forced all around three sides of that rail hub. They were within two miles of Znamenka, the capture of which would isolate the entire Dnieper bend from the north.

NO PLANNED RETREAT

The intensity of the battle west of Kiev, constant German counter-attacks in the Gomel-Zhlobin sector and along the Dnieper estuary, and the continued shelling of Leningrad exploded any belief that the Nazis planned to fall back to shorter lines.

The Red army winter offensive was delayed by mild, rainy weather. And it will be far from a pushover.

Having consolidated reclaimed positions, reprepped and brought in substantial reinforcements along a 50-mile front west of Kiev, the Germans renewed their efforts to roll back the salient. Their maximum objective probably was to push back to and dig in on the Dnieper winter line.

The Russians were improving and multiplying their Dnieper crossings over which men and equipment were streaming to meet the Nazi challenge.

NAZIS CLAIM KERCH BRIDGEHEAD RETAKEN

LONDON, Dec. 8 — (CP)—The German high command today claimed Rumanian forces have won the bridgehead area established by the Russians at Kerch, in the Crimea, wiping out Soviet landing troops in three-day battle and taking 2,000 prisoners.

The war bulletin recorded from a radio broadcast, said heavy fighting continued southwest of Kremenchug where the Russians were cutting deeper into the Dnieper bulge.

A Berlin brbadcast asserted the Russians lost 8,000 dead and many prisoners in the battle west of Kiev and that the Nazis seized large quantities of war material.

In the Dnieper bend south of Kremenchug, the broadcast said the Germans "shortened part of their line."

Reuter's News Agency reported hard artillery fighting between two miles of the centre of Znamenka in the area to the north and had advanced eight to 10 miles in the last 24 hours on the 1,500 miles south and west of the rail junction.

Hard War "Still In Front of Us" Declares Smuts

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greatest conclusion for the century of centuries."

"Heavy fighting lies ahead of us," he said.

DANGER AVERTED

"The danger that Russia, Britain and the United States might win the war but not achieve absolute co-operation needed for winning the peace has been averted," he said.

He termed the Cairo-Teheran meetings "the most significant conferences for 100 years' and added that what the world did not know about them was more important than what it did know.

He advised newsmen — who viewed the conferences from a distance and received only communiques — not to pry into the secrets, saying: "You are on a knife edge. A word dropped on the wrong side might cause great harm. By your silence you are helping to victory."

No Pay Advance For Dependents

OTTAWA, Dec. 8 — (CP) — Defence headquarters announced last night that usual authority for issue of December pay and allowances to members of the Canadian Army in Canada before Christmas will not be given this year, in line with the government's policy of discouraging non-essential buying and expenditures unnecessary to the war effort.

An exception has been made for personnel going on Christmas leave on or after Dec. 22. They may be paid up to the end of December before leaving their units.

The usual mid-month advance will be made about Dec. 15, and the end of the month payment will be made on the regular pay day to those who do not go on Christmas leave, the announcement said. Cheques for dependents' allowances and assigned pay will be mailed on the usual dates.

1943 Acreage In Wheat Asked For Next Year

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suggested but the conference had felt an increase of 32 per cent was all that could be assured.

It was agreed hay and clover acreage should be held at the 1943 level, 9,815,000.

The alfalfa acreage of 1,544,000 also was unchanged.

Mr. Shaw said 95 per cent of 1943 acreage in flaxseed had been suggested but conference delegates had indicated only 64 per cent could be assured. This indicated there might be a decline of 1,000,000 acres in the area set aside for this crop.

MAY TAKE ACTION

The total amount of production hoped for would have to be revised down in light of what delegates had said, but the largest possible production was desired.

The federal government might have to take action to encourage output.

The conference had been asked to approve an increase of 78 per cent in soybean production but it appeared delegates thought no more than a nine per cent increase could be attained, said Mr. Shaw.

Seed supplies were such that rapeseed acreage in 1944 should reach 10,000 acres as desired, and sunflower seed should reach 50,000 acres, said Mr. Shaw.

In dried beans, an increase of 76 per cent had been sought but only a 10-per cent rise was considered possible by delegates.

BEANS URGENT NEED

Beans, urgently needed, could be grown in provinces other than Ontario, and Mr. Shaw said every effort should be made to enlarge output.

A 92-per cent increase in dried peas had been sought but the conference felt only a 10-per cent gain was possible.

Mr. Shaw said he felt acreages given to peas and beans could well be increased in the west. It might be necessary to give farmers assurance of a floor price on these products.

For potatoes a production of 105 per cent of 1943 was indicated but Mr. Shaw said a production of 110 per cent would be preferred.

NO TOMATO OBJECTIVE

The tomato objective was not settled, as further information was required on the amount of canned tomatoes likely to be needed.

Maple syrup and honey objectives were both up and this was "all to the good" said Mr. Shaw.

He said the provinces mainly interested in cheese production —Ontario and Quebec—should seek to slow down production of cheese production. Those studying the situation believed inducements to production in the form of bonuses and the like would have to be continued, either in their present or in a modified form, for the duration of the war.

The butter production objective for 1944 had been set at 97 per cent of the 1942-1943 production and in 1943, although it had been hoped production would be 316,000,000 pounds, Mr. Shaw said.

CHEESE OBJECTIVE

A cheese production objective of 167,800,000 pounds had been suggested for 1944, an increase of 5.8 per cent from 1943, but the conference had felt production could only be 95 per cent on this year's output.

The evaporated whole milk objective for 1944 was 178,000,000 pounds, the same as in 1943. A small decrease in the 1943 condensed whole milk production of 24,000,000 pounds was considered probable.

Whole-milk powder and skim-milk powder objectives for 1944 were the same as in 1942—but only 000 pounds and 24,000,000 pounds respectively.

The production objective for eggs in 1944 was 367,500,000 dozen, an increase of 10 per cent over 1943.

A gain of 14 per cent in production of poultry meats, to 70,000,000 pounds, was aimed at in 1944.

Mr. Shaw said an increase of nine per cent in honey production was sought in 1944.

A 34 per cent increase in maple syrup production was sought. The 1943 production was 2,295,800 gallons.

Forage crop seeds acreage probably would be increased, Mr. Shaw said.

Cine Club Hold Successful Meet

Between 50 and 60 members of the Edmonton Cine Club and their friends attended a meeting of the club on Monday evening in the Masonic Temple.

The Mayne Reid trophy, which is awarded annually for the best set of six kodachrome "stills," was presented to this year's winner, Eddie McDougall, his pictures being judged the best of 18 entries. The presentation was made by the club's secretary, Mrs. Rene McPherson.

After the presentation some American visitors provided a program by projecting some of their movies in colored "stills."

Mrs. Jack Sparling of Los Angeles showed more than 100 kodachrome slides on her visit to Mr. and Mrs. Sparling were visiting in Mexico. DeWight Kindig, also of Los Angeles, projected the pictures while Mrs. Sparling gave club members an interesting talk on each picture.

A 400-foot kodachrome movie entitled "Ice Follies of '42" was shown by Lloyd Warner, a visitor also from Los Angeles. This colorful film was taken by Mr. Warner at the arena in the City of Los Angeles, where this ice classic was staged.

FUNNY BUSINESS

"He sees better when we bop him on the head with a pop bottle now and then—he's an umpire!"

Gardiner Asks Farmers Keep 1942 Hog Level

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advice given Canadian farm organizations by British ministry of agriculture representatives the government would not be justified in asking farmers to continue to produce hogs to the level of last year until the end of the war.

"The point of that statement is that we were advised that we would be wise to keep in mind that when the war is over the British market which we are supplying now to the full will have to be shared with others," Mr. Gardiner continued.

"That is obvious.

"That, however, does not suggest a decided change this year.

MAINTAIN 1942 LEVEL

"Our considered opinion is that Canadian farmers should this year endeavor to maintain the 600,000,000-pound level of 1942 in deliveries to Britain.

"Our opinion is, too, that we should and will have the co-operation of every packing plant and other slaughterers of hogs in bringing that about.

"We hope that while Britain is prepared for one of war to accept inferior bacon and ham as a matter of necessity, it will be realized by all that the highest type of product is the best guarantee of a continued market in Britain after the war."

Mr. Gardiner said an effort would be made to obtain a longer-term contract than that signed covering the next two years.

"This, if accepted, should give a considerable degree of encouragement to those who have been producing hogs to continue to do so to the best of their ability and provide for any adjustment of quality or quantity in the days following the war."

It was hoped there would be improvement in the quantity of oil-producing plants, tobacco, fruits and vegetables provided in 1944.

NEED FEED CROPS

Feed crops should be maintained at the highest possible level, and it was hoped grains like oats and barley would continue to be seeded on lands which have a chance of producing high yields. The greatest catastrophe to agriculture could result from low feed supplies.

The past year had demonstrated that with present consumption controls, an "enormous increase" in poultry and egg production could be provided without meeting the demands of the British markets.

Mr. Gardiner said experience had demonstrated the policy of supplying cheese instead of butter to Britain.

All surplus milk possible above Canadian requirements for whole milk and butter should be turned into cheese.

What supplies now on hand were sufficient to meet the highest possible demands of the next two years.

More Canadians Land Overseas

AN EAST COAST CANADIAN PORT, Dec. 8.—(CP) — Additional thousands of Canadian and Allied reinforcements for sea, land and air forces in the old world sailed from this port recently. Their arrival in Britain was announced last night.

By far the largest part of the movement was made up of a large draft of R.C.A.F. air crew and ground personnel.

With them was a large group of service division personnel, headed overseas to take up their jobs as clerks, instrument operators, ground maintenance workers and dozens of other jobs formerly filled by men who now have transferred to vital aircrew posts.

Others in the eastward movement were Canadian soldiers who had completed their training in Canada, and men from New Zealand, Australia, and other parts of the empire.

Ed. This picture gave club members an opportunity to see top-ranking American and Canadian fancy skaters in a high-class performance.

Other movies shown during the evening were "Milk-maid's Folly, produced by Eddie McDougall "The Old, Old Story," by W. E. Robinson, and "Through a Garden Gate," by Alf. Patterson.

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5th Army Units Seize Summit Of Mt. Camino

By NOLAND NORGAARD

ALGIERS, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The Allied Fifth Army has captured the summit of lofty Mt. Camino, routed the Nazis from three villages southwest of Mignano, and recaptured Monastery Ridge in bitter fighting to win heights overlooking the road to Cassino and Rome, it was announced today.

Official reports from Lt. Gen. Mark Clark's headquarters said the enemy had been shoved back to the fringe of ridges on the northern and western edges of Mt. Camino and Mt. Maggiore by the steady, savage thrusts of British and American troops.

The 5th Army's blows into the deep German winter line toward Cassino were accompanied by fresh gains on the 8th Army's Adriatic coastal sector.

Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's forces crushed repeated Nazi counter-attacks and reported limited advances in the area of the Moro River, where British tanks and infantry have crossed the stream.

SEVERE CASUALTIES

Evidence of severe German casualties in defence of this coastal sector came with discovery that Field Marshal Albert Kesselring had thrown the 90th Armoured Grenadier Division into line there to relieve the 65th Infantry Division. The 65th was down to about half its strength as effective fighting units, and the remnants of its battalions lost all its officers, emerging with only a sergeant-major left to command.

Allied medium bombers carried out attacks on Civitavecchia, northwest of Rome, and the important Adriatic port of Pescara. Six enemy planes were shot down in yesterday's operations without loss to the Allies.

Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's 5th Army troops relieved the Nazis from extensive high ground in the Mt. Camino area, giving the Allies a full view of the city beyond. Three villages were occupied.

Japanese Staging Points Battered

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Heavy and medium bombers together with dive-bombing fighter planes blasted the northern arc of Japan's New Britain coast and nearby islands Monday in an assault on the enemy's staging points and supply centres.

The attack was concentrated on the Cape Gloucester area at the western tip of the island of New Britain. A strong force of heavy bombers scattered 150 tons of bombs over a variety of targets, bringing to 738 tons the load dropped there in eight days.

More than 100 planes participated in the aerial attack which was directed from Cape Gloucester eastward to Cape Hoskins, in the north central part of the island, and also from Gasmata, and northwest to the Vitu islands in the Bismarck archipelago.

Disease Reveals Decrease in City

A decline of 15 cases of communicable diseases was reported during the week ended Dec. 4, compared with the week previous, according to a report filed Wednesday with the city commissioners by Dr. G. M. Little. During the current week 102 cases were reported to the city health department compared with 117 the week previous.

The following is a comparative statement of cases reported:

	This Week	Last Week
Chickenpox	55	75
Erysipelas	1	2
Measles	20	21
Meningitis (Mening)	1	—
Mumps	8	8
Rubella	1	—
Scarlet Fever	15	7
Whooping Cough	—	4
Total	102	117

1944 Agriculture Objectives

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Following is a table of 1944 agriculture production objectives, as drafted today by the Dominion-Provincial Agriculture conference here:

Product—	1944 Objective	Change From 1943
Wheat	17,500,000 acres	No change.
Oats	16,377,000 acres	Up 1 per cent.
Barley	8,500,000 acres	Up 6 per cent.
Mixed grains	1,760,000 acres	Up 20 per cent.
Rye	500,000 acres	Down 13 per cent.
Husking corn	393,000 acres	Up 53 per cent.
Hay and clover	9,815,000 acres	No change.
Alfalfa	1,544,000 acres	No change.
OIL SEED CROPS		
Flaxseed	1,890,600 acres	Down 36 per cent
Soybeans	55,100 acres	Up 9 per cent
Rapeseed	10,000 acres	Up 147 per cent
Sunflower seed	50,000 acres	Up 72 per cent
OTHER FIELD CROPS		
Dried beans	93,900 acres	Up 10 per cent
Dried peas	119,845 acres	Up 15 per cent
Sugar beets	63,100 acres	Up 21 per cent
Fibre flax	48,000 acres	Up 37 per cent
LIVESTOCK		
Hogs (insp. slaughter)	7,000,000 head	No change
Beef cattle	1,178,000 head	Up 6 per cent
Calves	662,800 head	Up 3 per cent
Sheep and Lambs	880,500 head	Up 5 per cent
DAIRY PRODUCTS		
Total milk	17,400,000,000 pounds	No change
Creamery butter	308,376,000 pounds	Down 3 per cent
Cheese	148,890,000 pounds	Down 7 per cent
CONCENTRATED MILK PRODUCTS		
Evaporated whole milk	178,000,000 pounds	No change
Condensed whole milk	24,000,000 pounds	No change
Whole milk powder	18,800,000 pounds	No change
Skim milk powder	24,000,000 pounds	No change
POULTRY PRODUCTS		
Eggs	367,500,000 dozen	Up 10 per cent
(Of this figure, purchase-for-export objective is 36,844,050 dozen.)		
POULTRY MEATS		
Chicken and fowls	250,000,000 pounds	Up 11 per cent
Turkeys	33,000,000 pounds	Up 14 per cent
SHEEP PRODUCTS		
Wool	14,000,000 pounds	Up 3 per cent
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES		
Apples	15,000,000 bushels	Up 24 per cent
Pears	600,000 bushels	Up 18per cent
Cherries	200,000 bushels	Up 9 per cent
Plums and prunes	450,000 bushels	Up 36 per cent
Peaches	1,300,000 bushels	Up 128 per cent
Apricots	81,000 bushels	Up 350 per cent
Strawberries	16,000,000 bushels	Up 15 per cent
Raspberries	9,150,000 quarts	Up 9 per cent
Grapes	54,500,000 pounds	Up 1 per cent
Loganberries	1,788,000 pounds	Up 5 per cent
Potatoes	558,980 acres	Up 5 per cent
Tomatoes (No definite objective for fixed)		
Leafy green vegetables	320,000 tons	Up 39 per cent
Root vegetables	360,000 tons	Up 13 per cent
FORAGE CROP SEED		
Alfalfa	15,000,000 pounds	Up 256 per cent
Timothy	7,000,000 pounds	Up 66 per cent
Red Clover	8,000,000 pounds	Up 42 per cent
Sweet Clover	7,500,000 pounds	Up 11 per cent
Timothy	11,000,000 pounds	Down 11 per cent
Brome Grass	10,000,000 pounds	Up 6 per cent
Crested Wheat Grass	3,000,000 pounds	Up 19 per cent
Miscellaneous Seeds	1,000,000 pounds	Up 33 per cent
MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS		
Maple Syrup, etc.	3,007,700 gallons	Up 31 per cent
Honey	36,802,000 pounds	Up 9 per cent

Kiwanis Glee Club Visits Legion Hut

The Edmonton Kiwanis Glee Club presented its first show of the fall season at the Canadian Legion War Services Hut, Tuesday night for the entertainment of men and women of the armed services.

The glee club, which consists of 25 male voices under the leadership of Jack McGarvey, proved as popular as ever. Several new songs and medleys, never sung before to the Edmonton public, were rendered by the club. The various songs were arranged by W. G. Strachan.

Other assisting artists on the well-received program included Mrs. Jeannette Paul Brady, guest soloist; Violetta Camillo with her piano accordion; William Sweet, one of Edmonton's leading tenors; and Jack Toulson at the piano. It was the first public appearance of Violetta Camillo as a member of the Kiwanis Glee Club cast.

Four dancing girls, Mary Mc-Pherson, Doris Holland, Edith Johnson and Minnie Foster, accompanied by piper Bob McPherson made a hit with the audience.

Comedy skits ably handled by Jack Strachan, Alex Cameron, Lin Jordan and Phil Knowles were popular.

Alex M. McDonald acted as master of ceremonies for the program and the business arrangements were handled by Del Mould.

The Kiwanis Glee Club will present its next show Tuesday night, Dec. 14, at No. 2 A.O.S. This entertainment will again be for the benefit of service men.

Two Airmen Killed

MONCTON, N.B., Dec. 8.—(CP)—Two airmen from No. 8 Service Flying Training School here were killed today when their training plane crashed near the school. Their names have been notified, and the names will be released shortly.

Says Woman's Car Out of Control

A coroner's jury Tuesday afternoon found that Mrs. Violet May Walker, 53 years old, of Wabamun, died from injuries received when the car in which she was riding was in collision with a truck driven by Frank R. Ness, 11140 86 street, about three miles west of Winterburn, on Dec. 2.

The jury appended to him. Ness told the jury, that the woman's car got out of control on the slippery road and crashed head on into the truck which was on the right side of the road, travelling between 20 and 25 miles an hour.

He had tried to avoid the collision, although he was well over on his own side of the road, and turned toward the ditch. The right front wheel of the heavily-loaded truck was off the road when the impact occurred, he said.

Riding in the cab of the truck at the time was Henry E. Penner, 11140 86 street, who said he estimated the speed of the truck at between 20 and 25 miles an hour, while the speed of the auto was estimated at from 35 to 40 miles an hour.

Cause of death was given as rupture of the large artery from the heart.

Maximum traffic capacity of the Panama canal is estimated at 48 average-sized ships daily, or about 17,000 annually.

O-K PURE WHITE CIGARETTE PAPERS

Board Considers Plan to Enlarge Victoria School

Plans for remodelling and enlarging the present Victoria High school and extending the present property to include a large recreational playground, were discussed at a meeting of the Edmonton school board Tuesday night.

R. S. Sheppard, superintendent of schools, showed members diagrams of the proposed school and grounds. The property extending from 108 avenue, where the school now stands, back to Kingsway is owned by the city and the suggestion was made that the city be asked if they are willing to operate jointly a recreational centre playground.

TO CONSULT CITY

It was decided not to proceed with the plans for enlarging the school until the city officials had been interviewed, as if the city was willing to co-operate with the scheme the proposed gymnasium, auditorium and possible swimming pool would have to be built on a different scale than for school purposes.

The superintendent and secretary of the board were asked to interview city commissioners and councillors in view of arranging a joint meeting to discuss the plans. Board members expressed the hope that a real civic centre be built at the school with facilities for all types of sporting and recreational activities.

Request from F. J. Speed for permission to give Bible readings in the schools was not granted by the board.

A decrease of $373.81 in the cost of electric lighting in city schools for the period Jan. 1 to Sept. 30 in 1943 as compared with the same period last year was shown in the report presented to the board by J. McAfee, superintendent of plant.

Comparative statement of cost and consumption of water over the same period showed a decrease of $17.57.

COAL COSTS LOWER

Biggest decrease shown in the report however was in the cost of coal. For the months of October in 1942 total cost of coal for city schools was $1,068.17 while in the same months this year the total was only $492.90 owing to the exceptionally fine weather.

Crowded conditions in the North Edmonton school in which some of the classes are on a double shift were referred to the property committee. R. S. Sheppard who proposed that a small playroom in the basement of the building be made into a classroom which would relieve the crowding. The superintendent recommended that the board open this room as soon as possible.

For laying a floor, making doors, frames, installing equipment and lighting and decorating, the total cost of the outlay was estimated at $800. This sum also included the installation of a new furnace at $225, if the present furnace could not be extended to heat the extra room. The board approved the plan and authorized the expenditure leaving the details of the furnace conditions for further discussed and examined by the property committee.

Divers Searching For Missing Auto

MONTREAL, Dec. 8 — (CP) — Police early last night called in divers to search the St. Lawrence canal at nearby Ville St. Pierre for an automobile which had been reported to have gone over the embankment into the water. One report to police said that two occupants had been seen in the car.

Highways and bridges developed by King Louis XIV and Napoleon are still in service in France.

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Best Foe in Italy

Edmonton, Alberta Officers In Daring Patrol Forays With Famous Western Unit

Louis V. Hunter, Canadian Press war correspondent in Italy, who wrote the following account of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry in operations there, has since returned to London.—EDITOR.

By LOUIS V. HUNTER

WITH CANADIAN FORCES IN ITALY.—(Delayed)—(CP)—The Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, renowned as a great patrolling battalion in the First Great War, is living up to its reputation in Italy. Without meeting the Germans in a major engagement, young but wartested scouts, snipers and riflemen patrolled some 250 miles in four weeks in some of the most difficult country Canadian troops have seen.

Men of this famous western Canadian battalion are so good at their job they have earned the congratulations of high army officers on several occasions. Generally working through hills and woods away from the main roads they have carried out innumerable patrols that forced the Germans to back positions more quickly than the enemy planned.

A number of times the battalion has been keyed up for a full-scale attack on German positions, but when zero hour approached the enemy had flown and the Canadians were able to walk into their objectives unopposed.

EXPECTED STIFF FIGHT

Only a little while ago the Canadians expected heavy German resistance to a tricky advance requiring a dangerous river crossing. The whole area was registered by German artillery which had the whole valley well spotted.

The battalion had to cross the river in full view of the corps of high ground beyond the wide deep river which had been probed for fords. The only opposition the infantry met came from two isolated machine-gun posts firing at extreme range and reaching the company on the left flank, commanded by Capt. J. P. Brophy, Winnipeg.

Brophy's men, walking waist deep in water, crossed under this fire in daylight, carrying equipment and leading a mule train with mortars and machine-guns. Casualties were two mules killed.

A heavy Canadian artillery barrage and air attack preceding the assault apparently caused Jerry to withdraw guns which had shelled the scouts in the morning and the battalion entered the town without opposition.

HAPPENED TWICE

The same thing happened at least twice in earlier weeks. The Germans packed up before the Canadians closed their full weight. It shows the respect Jerry has for these men and the failures it wrote a grand name in the last war.

A number of platoons turned in exceptional performances. A story is told about men of a platoon led by Lieut. D. Munroe, Carstairs, Alta., who watched Germans mine a road and then sneaked in and removed the mines.

The Germans returned and laid more mines and the Canadians removed them again. The Germans repeated their performance, but this time the Canadians left the mines and when the Germans came back to mine the road again they were blown up by their own mines.

The Germans, however, turned the tables on Canadians one another patrol. The Pats' scouts and snipers went out on patrol on bicycles and came under fire of a couple of machine-guns. They were pinned down and had to leave their bikes ebhind while they sought shelter.

PLANE SHOT DOWN

About the same time Canadian anti-aircraft gunners shot down a German aircraft in the vicinity. The pilot bailed out near the Pats who thought they were not only flanked on either side by German infantry, but also threatened by paratroops. The patrol succeeded in regaining their own lines.

On another occasion a special force commanded by Maj. J. E. Leach of Winnipeg spent a week sending out six or nine patrols pestering the Germans, engaging small groups of the enemy and generally raising a rumpus.

During various minor engagements the Pats men wiped out a number of German machine-gun posts, killing small groups of Germans, wounding and driving off the others. On one patrol the Germans shot and wounded a Canadian trying to reach a companion who had been hit.

Battalion officers have been lavish in their praise of the work of Lieuts. D. E. Jones, Victoria, and C. S. Frost, officers in charge of scouts and snipers.

EDMONTON OFFICERS

The battalion is commanded by a lieutenant-colonel from London, Ont., whose second-in-command is Maj. R. C. Coleman, M.C., Montreal. Among company commanders are Maj. W. D. Matson, Edmonton.

Platoon commanders included Lieuts. J. L. McCulloch, Calgary and Winnipeg; C. S. Munro, Calgary, A. G. L. Richards, Calgary, G. A. Garbutt, Calgary, and D. A. Gower, Edmonton.

Board Instructed To "Hold" Rentals

OTTAWA, Dec. 8. — (CP) — A Prices Board spokesman said last night that the government's instructions to it were to hold rentals—and all other items entering into the cost of living—to the level of the basic period (Sept. 15-Oct. 11, 1941), and that these instructions would be followed.

He was commenting upon a Vancouver dispatch saying the National Housing administration will charge up to $70 monthly for unfurnished suites being built in large homes under the government's conversion schemes, and that although such rents violated rentals ceilings the board lacked authority to intervene against another branch of the finance department.

The spokesman said the Prices Board has "complete authority" in the matter of prices.

"We can't let rents go above the levels in the basic period," he said. "Our job is to hold down rentals, food prices and all other items entering into the cost of living."

Found Not Guilty Of Manslaughter

CALGARY, Dec. 8—(CP)—James John Harkin, Canmore, was freed on a charge of manslaughter, when a criminal assize jury found him not guilty yesterday. In addition a stay of proceedings was entered by the crown, in the case of John Thomas Szuskiel, Canmore, also charged with manslaughter.

The men were charged as the result of the death June 28 of Arthur Latvala, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Latvala, Canmore.

According to evidence, the deceased was a passenger on a small locomotive operating between No. 2 and No. 4 coal mines of Canmore Mines Ltd., when it was in collision with another locomotive going to No. 2 mine, allegedly operated by Mr. Harkin. It was claimed Szuszkiel was a passenger in the locomotive with Harkin.

The locomotives were used for inter-mine transportation on the surface.

Winnipeg Lawyer Is Facing Charges In Faked Divorce

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—(CP)—A. J. Costigan, Winnipeg barrister, charged with perjury and conspiracy to commit perjury in connection with a divorce case, at his trial in county court yesterday declared the petition for divorce was based on facts given by Mrs. A. E. Monteith of New Westminster, B.C.

He admitted that he had prepared a series of questions and answers for Mrs. Monteith but declared they were based entirely on statements made by his client.

Earlier, Mrs. Monteith told the court that she gave "utterly false" evidence when she obtained a divorce from Robert Guille of Regina in February, 1942.

Costigan denied he had written a threatening letter to Guille at Regina. The letter produced in court was unsigned.

Seasonal Farm Labor Sources Being Studied

OTTAWA, Dec. 8—(CP)—The Labor department announced last night that representatives of the provinces and Selective Service officers will give "detailed attention" to special sources of seasonal labor for farms at the conference now being held here simultaneously with the Dominion-provincial conference on Canada's agricultural program for 1944.

Among these sources, the announcement said, are members of the armed forces on leave or those whose services may otherwise be made available, students, townspeople, women, treaty Indians, conscientious objectors, prisoners of war and internees.

Arthur MacNamara, director of National Selective Service, said an extended national program would be developed to meet the 1944 labor requirements.

Chinese Admit Rice Bowl City Taken by Japs

CHUNGKING, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Loss of the vital rice bowl city of Changteh, after 15 days of siege by Japanese was announced by the Chinese high command yesterday in a communique which said the ancient city fell Dec. 3.

The communique said the Japanese suffered heavy casualties during the battle for the city.

The loss of Changteh was taken here to mark the opening of the fourth battle for Changsha, capital of Hunan province in Central China, which the Japanese often have reached but never held.

"Old Mail"

MELROSE, Mass., Dec. 8.—(AP) —When the paper salvage drive came along, Elmer G. Rice remembered those old letters he had been saving, and turned them in—15 tons of them. As proprietor of the Plymouth Rock Squad Company he had filed away his correspondence for 32 years.

DIES IN AIR CRASH

NAIROBI.—(CP)—A. J. Kingsley Heath, Commissioner of Police in Kenya, died in an air crash while en route to Britain.

Daily War Map—Exclusively in The Edmonton Bulletin

Turkey's Entry Into Conflict Believed Near

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cipals for Britain and Turkey and Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's personal advisor, joining on the American side. The Soviet ambassador to Turkey, Sergei A. Vinogradov, also joined most sessions.

"Participation in this conference of the head of the Turkish state, in response to the cordial invitation addressed to him by the United State British and Soviet governments, bears striking testimony to the strength of the alliance which unites Great Britain and Turkey and to the firm friendship existing between the Turkish people and the United States of America and the Soviet Union," said the joint communique.

"Presidents Roosevelt and Inonu and Prime Minister Churchill reviewed the general political situation and examined at length the policy to be followed, taking into account the joint and several interests of the three countries.

"The study of all problems in a spirit of understanding and loyalty showed that the closest unity existed between the United States of America, Turkey and Great Britain in their attitude to the world situation.

"The conversations in Cairo have consequently been most useful and most fruitful for the future relations between the four countries concerned."

Cairo was flooded with rumors during the conference, including the prediction that Turkey was ready to enter the war immediately on the side of the Allies.

The sober fact seemed to be, however, that Turkey is near sizeable German ground forces and air fields and that she would need Allied help if she should abandon her neutrality.

High British quarters took cognizance of a Stockholm report that German and Bulgarian troops were massing along the Turkish border, and stated there was no confirmation for this report.

MIGHT CEDE BASES

The possibility remained that Turkey, while maintaining her neutrality, might cede bases to the Allies as neutral Portugal did in the Azores.

The talks with Inonu were held at the site of the earlier Churchill-Roosevelt conference with Chiang Kai-shek — the heavily-guarded Mena House, surrounded by barbed wire barricades.

It appeared obvious from outside Mena House that the talks with Inonu were friendly. During the sessions Mr. Roosevelt sent a spokesman to tell the correspondents:

"The president has asked me to tell you that he is most deeply impressed with the forceful character and forthrightness of the Turkish president. In President Inonu he feels he has made a new, firm friend."

It was notable that the 15-man Turkish delegation contained no military chiefs, but it was significant that the combined chiefs of the British and American staffs sat with Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Churchill and Inonu at one full dress meeting.

The British Middle East air and land commanders also conferred with Inonu and his aides in a separate session Dec. 5.

USED F.D.R.'S PLANE

President Roosevelt, it was disclosed, sent his own plane to bring Inonu to Cairo. The rest of the Turkish delegation also flew here, arriving in five planes.

The conference was conducted in French. At a photographing ceremony similar to those held at the Teheran parley and the previous Cairo conference, Mr. Roosevelt said to Mr. Churchill in English: "Let's put the president of Turkey between us." So Mr. Roosevelt sat at the right and Mr. Churchill at the left, with the Turkish president in the centre.

It was disclosed that a tentative draft of the communique was drawn after a big dinner at the British embassy Dec. 5 at which President Roosevelt was not present. There was reason to believe Inonu was referred to in the wording.

The first draft of the communique was brought to Mr. Roosevelt's villa. A number of changes were made before it was finally handed to newspapermen at 1:50 p.m.

Although the three-power meeting proper ended Monday, Inonu and his foreign minister, Numan Menemencioglu, held a meeting of more than two hours yesterday with Secretary Anthony Eden and the British ambassador to Turkey, Sir Hugh M. Knatchbull-Hugessen.

Military angles in the Mena house area were never forgotten as Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill held a long meeting with their combined general staffs Monday. British and American staffs met also yesterday.

PRINCIPALS AT PARTY

The British dinner party, after which the tentative communique was drafted, included all the principals except Mr. Roosevelt, who was dining with Prime Minister Jan Christiaan Smuts of South Africa. Among others at the British dinner were Harry Hopkins, the President's personal adviser; Gen. George C. Marshall, United States army chief of staff; Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, Middle East commander-in-chief; Air Chief Marshal Sir William Sholto Douglas, R.A.F. commander in the Middle East; and Acting Vice-Admiral A. U. Willis, commander-in-chief of the Levant fleet.

On Saturday, at 11:45 a.m., Inonu reached Cairo after a flight across Syria and Palestine, where he had bought alongside the Germans in the last war, Inonu was driven to Villa No. 1, where President and Mrs. Chiang Kai-shek had stayed previously.

He received Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt and the Turkish delegation went at 5 p.m. to an informal reception at the Roosevelt villa, where the two presidents met for the first time.

The president of the United States was host at a dinner to all but Mr. Churchill, who dined with his own general staff and came in later.

FULL-DRESS SESSION

On Sunday afternoon, there was a full-dress plenary session with the military chiefs and the three heads of state.

That night, Mr. Churchill played host to the Turks and others at a large dinner party, with Mr. Roosevelt making his first visit to the prime minister's villa. During the afternoon, Mr. Churchill had lunched with Nahas Pasha and other Egyptians in a significant meeting at the British embassy.

On Monday, Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill lunched privately, and at 3 p.m., the latter, with Eden, met Inonu. The final plenary session was held two hours later.

Text of Cairo Communique

CAIRO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Following is the communique issued here last night:

Mr. Roosevelt, president of the United States of America; M. Ismet Inonu, president of the Turkish republic, and Mr. Winston Churchill, prime minister of the United Kingdom, met in Cairo on Dec. 4, 5 and 6, 1943.

Mr. Anthony Eden, His Majesty's principal secretary of state for foreign affairs; M. Numan Menemencioglu, minister of foreign affairs for Turkey, and Mr. Harry Hopkins took part in their deliberations.

Participation in this conference of the head of the Turkish state, in response to the cordial invitation addressed to him by the United States, British and Soviet governments, bears striking testimony to the strength of the alliance which unites Great Britain and Turkey, and to the firm friendship existing between the Turkish people and the United States of America and the Soviet Union.

Presidents Roosevelt and Inonu and Prime Minister Churchill reviewed the general political situation and examined at length the policy to be followed, taking into account the joint and several interests of the three countries.

The study of all problems in a spirit of understanding and loyalty showed that the closest unity existed between the United States of America, Turkey and Great Britain in their attitude to the world situation.

The conversations in Cairo have consequently been most useful and most fruitful for future relations between the four countries concerned.

The identity of interests and of views of the great American and British democracies with those of the Soviet Union, as also the traditional relations of friendship existing between these powers and Turkey, have been reaffirmed throughout the proceedings of the Cairo conference.

Balkan Smash Seen as Result Turkey's Action

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loose from Hitler before the blow falls.

The impact of the Turkish accord on the Arab world also was seen as important. If Arabs throughout the Near East are convinced the Big Three powers are collaborating harmoniously with Turkey, their confidence in the future under Allied leadership will be strengthened.

It was not disclosed whether the Greek and Yugoslav governments in Cairo were consulted in Balkan plans, but it is believed likely that they were.

HINT OF "BATTLES"

Reuters news agency reported that the Ankara radio, broadcasting a Turkish view of the significance of the Cairo meeting, said "large-scale operations and a decisive battle are very close at hand. The conference can be summed up in these words: It is complete agreement on the problems of war and peace."

Enemy propaganda has been preparing the Germans for Turkey's possible entry into the war on the Allied side, Dr. Paul Schmidt, foreign office spokesman, told foreign correspondents in Berlin, in his only comment on Inonu's trip, that all leading Turkish newspapers had stressed Turkish neutrality.

Unconfirmed reports persisted that Germany was moving troops toward Turkish frontiers. Stockholm heard by way of Budapest that three fully-equipped German motorized divisions passed through Sofia, Bulgaria.

MAY MOVE CAREFULLY

British commentators expressed belief that Turkey would move slowly and carefully toward active participation in the war.

A whirlwind of diplomatic activity in Sofia was reported by the Budapest radio, which said the Bulgarian prime minister had received the Turkish ambassador to Bulgaria and then called a cabinet meeting.

In another announcement the radio said that after an interval of nine months a Soviet military attache had arrived in the Bulgarian capital. It said the Bulgarian attache in Moscow had been recalled, but that another would be appointed next week.

Six New Airdromes For United States Dedicated in U.K.

A U.S. BOMBER BASE IN ENGLAND, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Six great new airdromes for the United States air force were dedicated yesterday by Lt.-Gen. Jacob L. Devers, who declared "Germany must surrender unconditionally or be annihilated."

At ceremonies held on the second anniversary of the United States entry into the war the commanding general of American forces in the European theatre of operations said planes from the new bases and from approximately 100 other American airfields in Britain would blacken the skies over enemy territory.

"We are building airports so that our fighting planes and bombers may assist in carrying out the world strategy recently co-ordinated decisively at Cairo and Teheran," Devers said, asserting that the epitaph of Germany and Japan is already written.

Children are betrothed before they are born in Indo-China.

At Conference

Dominion-Provincial Bonus To Maintain Bacon Output Is Suggested by Gardiner

By JAMES McCOOK

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Suggestion that provincial governments consider sharing with the Dominion the cost of a bonus to help maintain bacon production was made yesterday by Agriculture Minister Gardiner at a closed meeting of the Dominion-provincial agriculture conference, it was learned.

Bacon production to meet British requirements to an extent greater than the contracted 450,000,000 pounds annually during each of the next two years came under discussion at the conference as farm output objectives for 1944 were reviewed.

Total shipments during 1943, it is hoped, will be 675,000,000 pounds. At the morning conference session Hon. J. G. Llewellyn, British food minister, said that if no more than 450,000,000 pounds is shipped next year the British bacon ration may have to be cut from four to three ounces a week.

WANT HIGHER PRICES

Prairie delegates, representative of provinces where the greatest wartime increases in hog output have taken place, said that if production is to be maintained on the 1943 level, higher prices should be announced soon so breeding programs can be arranged.

While the conference may return to discussion of an actual hog production objective for 1944, it was understood the discussion turned to other subjects, leaving the provinces to consider sharing with the dominion any increase in the hog price.

It was learned that discussions this far have indicated:

1—No increase will be sought in wheat acreage above the 18,648,000 acres recommended last year, but delegates said they believe acreage would rise to some extent no matter what the conference recommends since wheat prices now paid by the Canadian wheat board, the government's marketing agency, are $1.25 a bushel basis No. 1 Northern at Fort William — compared with 90 cents last year.

MORE BEEF CATTLE

2—The beef cattle objective will be set at more than 3,967,315 head recommended last year. Delegates said they believe gains can be accomplished in almost all provinces with little difficulty. As this would lead to surplus beef supplies in Canada, larger shipments to the United Kingdom and other Allied Nations would be in prospect in 1944.

3—To maintain the large livestock population in Canada and meet possible requests for feed by the United States, increases in oats and barley acreages probably will be recommended.

4—Greater production of oilbearing seeds, flaxseed, soybeans, sunflower seed and rape seed will be recommended.

Estimates of some delegates were that Britain will need 600,000,000 pounds of bacon instead of 450,000,000 in 1944 to maintain the bacon ration at four ounces a week.

MARKET ASSURED

Mr. Gardiner has said farmers have the assurance of a market for hogs they produce, but that the Dominion government does not feel justified in asking them to increase output in light of the prospect that Britain may obtain supplies elsewhere after the war.

Col. Llewellyn said before the conference yesterday that the Canadian farmer need have no fear that by going into hog production extensively now he will have his market slip away from him.

Delegates said a statement might be a factor in consideration by the provinces of the suggestion that they share a bonus to encourage hog production in 1944.

Provincial ministers of agriculture and their deputies are attending the conference which was considered probable they could give federal representatives an indication of their attitude on the bonus suggestion before the conference ends.

Traffic on TCA Shows Increase

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8.—(CP)—In the first ten months of this year, Trans-Canada Air Lines carried 116,696 passengers, 3,021,771 pounds of mail and 656,877 pounds of express, according to figures released yesterday by O. T. Larson, T.C.A. vice-president. As compared with the corresponding period last year, the number of passengers increased by 30,841, mail volume was greater by 1,293,380 pounds and express by 378,913 pounds.

In colonial days, pudding dishes were known as twiffers.

Western Airmen Receive Awards

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—A pilot who delivered a "telling attack" against a U-boat in the Bay of Biscay; another who flew his damaged bomber back to base on three motors, and still another who brought his plane and crew back to base when "conditions were such that he would have been fully justified in abandoning the aircraft" are among R.C.A.F. personnel whose feats were described last night in citations accompanying awards of Distinguished Flying Crosses.

The awarded included:

D.F.C.

Sqdn. Ldr. P. G. Weedon, Paddockwood, Sask.; F/O. E. Campbell, Estevan, Sask.; F/O. J. M. Beger, New Westminster, B.C.; Plt. Lt. A. MacMillan, Winnipeg; F/O. J. P. Curtin, Govan, Sask.; F/O. G. E. D. Gerrard, Kildonan West, Man.

D.F.M.

Flt. Sgt. R. F. Hughes, Vancouver; Flt. Sgt. A. C. W. Fussell, New Westminster, B.C.; P/O. R. Dubois, Coderre, Sask.

(Awards to Weedon, McQuoid, Curtin, Gerrard, Beger, Hughes and Fussell were announced in London previously.)

Army Sergeant Held in Slaying Of Girl, Aged 3

DENVER, Dec. 8. — (AP)—An army mess sergeant was charged last night with the slaying of three-year-old Kathleen Ann Geist, whose battered body was found stuffed beneath a kitchen sink in the soldiers' mess hall in Lowry Field. Alleged Richard H. Simon said the accused man was Staff Sgt. Frank Martz, 33, stationed at Fort Logan. Martz, the district attorney asserted, enticed the child to the apartment in suburban Englewood Monday night, struck her on the head, strangled her with a cord and afterward raped her.

Anglo - American Leadership Said Need For Security

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Navy Secretary Frank Knox said Monday night he believed "the security of the world depends in very large measure upon Anglo - American leadership."

In an address prepared for the English Speaking Union, Knox said:

"It is the very fact that the British and the American commonwealths have had their vigorous disputes, and for more than a century have settled them without recourse to arms, that gives substance to the hope that Anglo-American leadership provides for the rest of the world."

Fills Jug!

VANCOUVER, Dec. 8.—(CP) — The liquor shortage makes people do odd things, a beer parlor waiter declared in court as he told of a customer who entered with an empty gallon jug in a paper bag, ordered enough beer to float an ordinary man, then walked out quite steadily but with a full jug.

Plan Expansion Of Cadet Work

CALGARY, Dec. 8.—(CP)—To coordinate the expansion of cadet work in Alberta a provincial inter-service committee was appointed at a conference of visiting cadet officials and local officials, held Monday.

The meeting unanimously approved a policy under which further expansion would be subject to the approval of the inter-service committee and decided there would be no transfer of cadets from one unit to another during the cadet-training year.

Meeting, the cadet officials, Monday evening, Hon. Solon Low, minister of education, said he was sympathetic to a suggestion that cadet subjects be used as the basis for a new subject in the high school curriculum. He said he would have to place the proposal before the curriculum committee at Edmonton before giving a decision.

Sqdn. Ldr. W. M. Graham, representative of the director of air cadets on the Dominion committee, stated that at present no cadet subjects were taught in high schools in Alberta, except where they are included in the regular subjects. Some provisions are contained in cadet subjects. Under the proposed plan books would be provided nationally by the three cadet services and teachers would be given instruction at summer schools.

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Influenza Panic

Publicity about the prevalence of influenza has increased considerably during the past week or so. There are reports of an epidemic in Ontario and other parts of the country. His Majesty the King is said to be incapacitated by the disease in England.

As a consequence of these reports, a tremor of nervousness is passing over many Canadian communities whose members recall the Spanish influenza scourge of 1918, and who fear a parallel in the present situation.

If the epidemic of 1918 must be remembered, the fact to be emphasized about it is that thousands of people died, in that wave, more as a result of fear than as a result of disease. That is to say, the deadliness of influenza got such horrific publicity that the resistance of most people was dangerously lowered to the point where they fell victims to attacks that otherwise might have barely inconvenienced them.

Influenza is to be respected, of course. And the essential treatment is rest and isolation. But if the ailing person behaves sensibly and takes due precautions, there is no reason why influenza should be more fatal than a heavy cold.

Medical science has advanced tremendously since 1918. And medical science can definitely cure those influenza patients who co-operate.

The best way to co-operate preventively is to refuse to get into a panic which, as in 1918, is the worst and silliest thing that can be done.

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Protect the Wings Club

The surprising disclosure has been made that the city has sold the Jackson building on Jasper avenue without affording any protection to the tenancy of the Army, Navy and Air Force Club. In its anxiety to pour a few more thousands of dollars into its sinking fund—laudable in itself—the city has committed a grave offense against humanity.

For the Wings Club serves a great humanitarian purpose. It is a tremendous morale builder, and he who threatens the Wings Club threatens one of the agencies that is contributing to victory. The failure to protect the Club is an affront to every young man and woman in the armed forces.

The Wings Club has had a difficult and arduous career. It lost its first headquarters, not through any action of the owners of those premises, who were most generous, but by a regulation of the Department of National War Services which ruled that all such recreation centres must be at ground level, or on the first floor. In spite of these drawbacks, the Wings Club has served a splendid purpose.

Now it is in danger again.

Service men and women and literally tens of thousands of Edmonton citizens are deeply concerned over the security of the Wings Club. They are not inclined to tolerate any action that will place this institution in jeopardy—no matter what other considerations are involved.

The new owners would allay a great volume of uneasiness if they would publicly state that the Wings Club is not to be disturbed.

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Don't Do It

One half of the sum total of what Canadians are producing is now being expended in fighting Germany and Japan. It does not matter whether the calculation is made in terms of money or of energy expended.

That is why everyone is busy; we are working half the time to win the war. That also is why taxes are high and war loans recurrent; the producing has to be paid for, whether the product is destroyed on the battlefield or consumed by civilians. That is the reason, too, that we have scarcities in many lines of common commodities and a pronounced scarcity of luxuries.

It is the reason likewise that we have rationing, price control, a ceiling on wages. There is not enough left, after war needs have been supplied, to permit raising the average standard of living. There just aren't enough goods to go round in the quantities we would like to have, or in the quantities we would be entitled to have if our export production were being exchanged for foreign goods instead of being blown to pieces and worn out on the fighting fronts.

"For the duration" we shall have to be content with our present scale of living. Whoever gets more of the limited supply than he is fairly entitled to thereby causes some other person to go short. And it makes no essential difference whether he obtains the "more" in a black market or by forcing his wages to a disproportionate level.

Just there practical patriotism comes into the picture. It is not the part of good citizenship to grab more than one of scarce food than are required for immediate use, nor to hoard any other kind of life's necessities. That is an un-neighborly thing to do. It makes the going harder for the family next door, and thus tends to weaken the national resolution to see the struggle through to the end. Don't do it.

The March That Failed

Two years ago Berlin boasted that its storm troopers were within sight of the towers of the Kremlin. Now they are back almost within sight of the border of old Poland, 400 miles from Moscow, and it is the Russians who are doing the storming. Berlin now is not broadcasting predictions of the capture of the Russian capital, but hopes that the Red army can be kept out of Germany.

They have been two years of terrific but successful struggle on the part of the Russians, and terrific but unsuccessful struggle on the part of the invaders. The "march to the east" is over. Now it is a slow but certain trek back to the west. The attack on Russia has been a ghastly failure. From Hitler down, every German knows it. Nothing would suit the Fuehrer better than to call quits on the eastern front.

To measure the significance of this defeat it is necessary to remember that the Ukraine wheat fields and the Baku oil fields were the prizes Hitler wanted more than any others. Long ago he thrilled his followers by the promise that they would be "swimming in wealth" once the wheatlands came into their possession. Ukraine wheat and Baku oil would have redoubled the strength and the staying power of his war machine.

Those prizes are lost to him forever. He knows it, and so does every German who knows the facts and is capable of thought. Losing them, he has lost the objectives which would have made him all but unconquerable. The valor with which the Russians have defended their homes has made it impossible that Hitler should win the war. He has failed—and he is doing it with the energy of despair—is call upon his subjects to make a last desperate stand against invasion and retribution.

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For the first time in ten days Moscow reported that the Russian forces improved their position southwest of Kiev, apparently in the Krivoi Rog area. They were not ten days of idleness, but of incessant fighting, with the Russians losing ground when any change occurred. If anyone supposed that the fight had gone out of the Nazis on that front this news should dispel the illusory hope. To stop the Russian offensive and hold it for ten days was not the work of a panic-stricken army.

Looking Backward

From The Bulletin Files

1893: 50 Years Ago

The election of Joseph Martin by a majority of between 400 and 500 on a platform of tariff reform, in the Conservative stronghold of Winnipeg, with every feature in favor of the Government candidate, should echo and re-echo throughout the country. It proclaims the temper of the people in no uncertain sound, and it is given double significance coming immediately after the visit of the Dominion ministers to the west. Finance Minister Foster has returned east with the report that the west will be satisfied with a few minor reductions on the present tariff, with Winnipeg thunders the assertion. The sincerity of the ministers on the question of tariff reform was seriously questioned here all along, and Mr. Foster's statements on his return east, sound hollow.

The list of exhibitors from the Northwest who won awards at the World's Columbian exhibition at Chicago is a long one and the successful entries run all the way from flour to horses, bituminous coal and buffalo hides.

1903: 40 Years Ago

An eighty acre townsite has been surveyed at Vegreville.

The town council has passed a bylaw licensing watermen.

Sir Richard Cartwright at Toronto delivered the key note speech of the Laurier government for the coming Dominion general elections.

Calgary Conservatives nominated R. B. Bennett for the Commons.

Supt. Constantine has reported to Ottawa regarding the trip to Ft. McPherson, where he established a post of the Mounted Police during the past summer.

1913: 30 Years Ago

W. J. McNamara was elected mayor of Edmonton yesterday, by a majority of 256.

Lethbridge: The city elected three commissioners yesterday, thus inaugurating the new system of elected executive.

Washington: By an overwhelming majority, the House approved the proposal of Right Hon. Winston Churchill for a naval holiday.

London: The Admiralty is said to have developed a new type of submarine, with a speed of twenty knots, which will make the dreadnaught an obsolete type of warship.

The new Canadian loan was coldly received in London, only 37 per cent being subscribed.

1923: 20 Years Ago

Mr. K. A. Blatchford was elected mayor at the civic election in Edmonton yesterday. Aldermen elected on the first count, A. U. G. Bury and James East; public school trustee, S. A. G. Barnes.

Montreal: Lord Shaughnessy, former president of the C.P.R., died here.

Vera Cruz: By a wide sweeping movement revolutionary troops are reported to be closing in on Mexico City.

Washington: President Coolidge recommended tax collections amounting to $300,000,000 in his message to congress.

1933: 10 Years Ago

Natal: Brazil Col. and Mrs. Chas. A. Lindbergh arrived here after a flight from Bathurst, Africa.

Rome: The Associated Press learns that diplomatic conversations are taking place in European capitals with a view to reforming the League of Nations. The purpose is to bring Russia, Germany and Japan into the list of members, the latter two having bolted.

London: Speaking for the Government, Lord Hailsham declared treaty law and constitutional usage governing the relations of the Crown and British parliament will govern the relations between Great Britain and the Irish Free State.

Today's Text

The wicked is driven away in his wickedness: but the righteous hath hope in his death.—Proverbs 14:32.

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'Tis vain to flee, till gentle Mercy show
Her better eye, the farther off we go.
The swing of Justice deals the mightier blow.
—Quarles.

SIDE GLANCES

"No, you can't wear your Army pack to the store—I've got eggs on the grocery list, and last time you squashed six wrestling with Japs!"

Oriental Rug History Revealed

Designs and Colors Tell Experts Where They Were Woven

By MARY ALICE QUAYNE

The secret of placing Oriental rugs is across the door a rug, another down each side, and one across the top, the centre of the room being reserved for the best rug, a thing of beauty, to be read, not to be walked on.

A lecturer in the Victoria and Albert Museum, London, told a group of women some years ago, that the modern people take great care of their rugs, for they do not like to wash them and so lose part of their brilliance.

The fine old tones so valued by all is really the reason why the rug has been allowed to leave its native country. One such rug has been washed more than 40 times with ammonia and washing soda, and the color has not been touched. One reason is that the wool used was from a living sheep, which means the wool retains its brilliancy. Sometimes weavers will make rugs from one sheep only, which means years may pass before its completion.

When coarser wool is used, the weavers make about 35 to 50 knots more to the square inch, but with very fine wool they can get 350 knots. There may be 500 to the square inch, and there is one rug with 1,000 knots to the inch, "result is everything, time is nothing."

Family Gatherings

The museum lecturer looks at an Oriental rug and says it brings before him the picture of a large courtyard, an old woman sitting on a pile of rugs, all around the loom her daughter, her granddaughters and daughters-in-law, all weaving and chanting the song of the rug.

The chant is in tribal dialect and can not be translated, but the rhythm helps the knotting. They are putting in a family design which has been handed down from mother to daughter for generations.

If they are Turkish women they are weaving the Turkish knot which is square; if they are Persian women, they knot in the Persian manner, which lends itself to the blossoms and foliage which are found in the Persian rugs. But between these two definite types of knot there are many variations used by nomadic tribes.

It is these wandering people who make rug-reading difficult, and yet vastly more interesting.

Plants also do not give the same color when grown on the mountains as in the valley, so the variety of color tells the expert the country through which the tribe passed. He knows that only in certain places not easily accessible does the plant grow that yields a perfect rose. When he sees a denser shade he knows that the tribe has been down in the valleys.

Persian Rose

A town-made rug he distinguishes by its blue, grey, olive-green or yellowish tones, the particularly-beautiful yellows being often found in the wild onion. A vivid bright red marks out the rug from Turkey, just as the rose color is always found in the Persian rug.

The Bokhara blue in a rug, the deep purplish blue, does not deceive the expert, for the dye which was made in Bokhara, for he sees in the rug also a paler blue, and a creamy white, never found in that country.

These variations, together with the design, tell him that the rug is the work of a wandering tribe.

Every rug has its tribal mark. Sometimes a diagonal cross will appear in a conchaped design; sometimes an "S" scroll will be used in a peculiar way. The length of the pile varies in countries and in families, some tribes giving their rugs long hair and others a shingle. The shape of the rug tells its purpose for which it was made. There are strips for doors and shaped pieces for camel bags; a niche in front marks the prayer rug. The centre panel of every prayer rug is wedge shaped at one end, this point being turned towards Mecca when the rug is used. Rarely were the rugs made for the floor by wandering tribes, who lived in tents and used them as hangings to keep out the sun's rays and the dust.

No Slave Labor After the War

Oppose Plan of Russia To Use Germans for Rebuilding

By RAYMOND CLAPPER

WASHINGTON—Allied trades union leaders have struck squarely at one of the most fundamental questions in regard to unity in their determination to oppose enslavement of German labor to rebuild devastated Russia after the war.

Shall German labor be taken to Russia to rebuild cities there, or be left free in Germany to receive the trades union movement?

Allied trades union leaders have raised the issue. Sir Walter Citrine, dominant figure in the British Trades Union Congress, and American trades union leaders, led by William Green, Robert J. Watt and Matthew Woll, are working closely together on this. They are aided by some French trades unionists.

Raymond Clapper

Recently Green broadcast to Germany for OWI saying that the Allied purpose was not to crush and defeat the German people, but to free them from their overlords. This appeal drew thanks from OWI, but severe retaliation from the Nazi propaganda radio.

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It is not merely psychological warfare. American Federation of Labor workmen regard it as a vital policy. Their viewpoint is that a strong labor movement in Germany is the best protection against Fascism. They say that the first move of the Nazis was to break up the German trades unions. The Nazis have been mortal enemies of the trades unionists who have fought the battle for democracy and who must be the hope of democracy in Germany after the war.

To permit such people to be dragged off as slave labor into Russia would violate what the AFL and CIO are fighting for, say the Labor Federation people. They feel it would be a betrayal of democracy's friends in Germany, the kind of friends who in Norway fought Quisling. Furthermore, the labor people do not believe that slave labor would be an advantage for Russia in the end. They are willing that Nazis should be punished without conscience, but not trades unionists.

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Russians have discussed the idea. As president of the American Federation of Labor, William Green, has called upon President Roosevelt in his conferences with leaders of the United Nations, to see to it that all are agreed not to use slave labor out of Germany. Green says the American Federation of Labor will oppose with all of its power any attempt to enslave the workers of Germany or any other country.

His statement was issued before any results were published of the conference which, according to the British news agency, Reuters, has been going on between Roosevelt, Churchill and Stalin.

And it is not such an academic question for another reason. Some well informed persons here don't give the Nazis more than three months more. The Russian offensive does not seem to be over by any means, and the R.A.F. is going back to Berlin.

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At any time almost we may have to begin dealing with a defeated Germany. It will make all of the difference in the world whether we are going to follow the Russian wish of conscripting German labor as a form of human reparations, or protect the German workers while they build up new trades unions and democratic institutions. Are we going to be brutal, or try to rebuild a free Germany?

While I see the force of what the labor people say, on the other hand, since Germany has given us two world wars, it seems to me that for a period, at least, we might let them labor for some of it by rebuilding the damage. True, not every individual German is responsible for Hitler, but we do not raid the innocent must suffer with the guilty. I find it impossible to excuse a whole people for what Germany has done twice in a quarter of a century. I find it difficult to feel sympathy for the middle class Germany, such as the working people, who shall not be required to make some restitution for the damage done. This time they need to be punished and made an example of.

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Washington Merry-Go-Round

Details of Patton Affair Still Kept Secret by Army

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — The complete story on mercurial General George Patton is, for some strange reason, still being kept very hush-hush by the Army.

What the War Department doesn't seem to want known is the fact that three high-ranking officers flew from Washington early in August and investigated the Patton affair.

Difficulty it has been stated that General Eisenhower himself made the decision to let Patton apologize. This has been the War Department's official position, and technically, it doubtless is the truth.

Drew Pearson

But to the average layman's way of thinking, the War Department came pretty close to handling the whole thing itself. Anyway, here is what happened:

Major General Miller White, assistant chief of staff in charge of army personnel, and Brig. General Russell B. Reynolds, assistant to a colonel, flew from Washington to North Africa shortly after General Patton had the shell-shocked soldier in a Sicilian hospital.

In North Africa they picked up Major General Everett Hughes, deputy commander-in-Chief of Supply, in the North African theatre and Eisenhower's right-hand man for North Africa. They then flew to Sicily and investigated the Patton matter carefully.

In Sicily they spent one day with General Patton. He told them of one emotional scene where he wept and prayed beside the bed of a wounded soldier. He cited this as comparison for abusing two sick soldiers.

In the end, they made a recommendation to General Eisenhower. He accepted the recommendation. Hence technically and officially the responsibility was his.

Opposed Patton

However, it has been reported by those returning from North Africa that Eisenhower had planned to send Patton back to the United States. Events which followed appeared to substantiate those reports. For General Patton has not been in combat since the unfortunate event in August, and while technically in command of the 7th Army, actually that army has more or less ceased to exist as a combat organization. Its divisions have been fed into General Clark's 5th Army.

Controversy regarding General Patton has now swept into the army, and did not begin with the slapping incident in the Sicily hospital. Ever since he graduated from West Point he has been one of the stormiest and most discussed officers in the army. Army politics can be as intense as in civilian life, and was not interested in Nogues' politics. Their friendship, however, did not encourage other Frenchmen to aid the United States, and eventually Patton himself broke things off when it was suspected that the fascinating society in his villa was responsible for Nogues not being a French officer friendly to the U.S.A.

This, and other reports of how the General ordered an Italian peasant's mule shot when it went over a military bridge, and his manner of firing his pearl-handled revolver into the air when dressing down a fellow officer, are all being probed by Senators.

What they are interested in is not so much General Patton, but the broader question of army promotions. They are wondering about the Army's buck-passing between Washington and Algiers and who is really responsible for keeping Patton on.

They are also skeptical about all army promotions from now on. Inasmuch as Patton's behavior in the hospital was so studiously kept off his record and his name sent up for promotion regardless, they are wondering how extensive this cover-up system extends.

Unfortunately, one result of the Patton incident may be to work a hardship on other well-deserving officers.

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The Edmonton Bulletin's Readers Say:

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Very Little Esteem

Editor, Bulletin: Our postmaster-general has again announced a "bargain day" in connection with the mailing of greeting cards. If unsealed the rate is one cent.

Tens of thousands have taken advantage of this cheap rate and in doing so, in my opinion, have held their friends in very little esteem.

Personally I would rather put on a five-cent stamp than a one cent, for in doing so it increases the revenue of the government and goodness only knows any increase is needed. "BEST WISHES."

Edmonton.

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Catholic

Editor, Bulletin: In reference to C.B.R.'s letter, may I ask what other religion outside the Catholic Church is "Universal." The word Catholic means "The only One true Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ."

When a certain number of people broke away from the Catholic Church at the time of the reformation in England and Germany they called themselves "Protestants." From religion can they be entitled to the name "Catholic"? We are all God's children but if we would be sincere with ourselves and seek the truth, and not refuse to accept the truth then the prayer "Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven" will not just be so much lip service.

G. ROBINS

10524 83 avenue.

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Children's Rights

Editor, Bulletin: With great distress I read of landlords refusing tenants with children. Do they believe in race suicide? If so they must be greatly pleased with those nursery atrocities in killing off those poor little babies. Where are parents to go in this Edmonton of ours, who are blessed with a family? We who shudder at Nazi atrocities, are we any different? There should be some way of compelling these men who rent their houses only to childless couples. The poor little kiddies—what have they done that they should be homeless? All children are not hoodlums. We should be a city of owned homes, but we should be in London, where so many live in rural districts and commute each day to town. In the stone ages when cave-dwelling was an experience, evidently children were not prohibited, else now we would be an extinct race. Wake up, you city (step) fathers and right this state of affairs at once!

L.M.

Edmonton.

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Injustice

Editor, Bulletin: In your Nov. 30th issue the question of returned, disabled soldiers having to pay their own fare home after receiving discharge in Calgary after years of active service prompted me to offer the suggestion that possibly the boys at the top of the ladder have not become streamlined with the times and are following the book of rules and regulations that followed World War 1, and that sleepy Ottawa has not awakened to the fact that the 1929 decade of depression has gone into history, and therefore the saving of money for a government now is decidedly not cricket.

What I cannot understand, in view of the total disregard of discharged men from the various fighting branches by the powers that be, is why the Canadian Legion in all its branches, and its hugely growing strength, have not hammered the Ottawa government into humiliation by a constant barrage where it will do the most good, right out in the open, on behalf of injustices continually poured on erstwhile fighting men ever since the first man was discharged.

I say, Canadian Legion, dig in and get to the bottom of this kind of injustice. Don't pussyfoot. Make an outright demand, out in the open, in the press, anywhere. Bring out good and loud. Don't forget the treatment that old Legionaires flouted openly for twenty years or more that they got, rightly or wrongly. Now is the time to do the right thing by the youth of the nation, our future leaders. See that they get the right and proper respect they are entitled to.

P. R. GAUVREAU.

Peace River, Alta.

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Polish Question

Editor, Bulletin: Your editorial Wednesday, Dec. 1 issue, "The Polish Question," brought up a question that I've often asked myself when reading articles along the same line with the same line of reasoning and I don't doubt many readers are asking the same question and that is:

Why should the refusal to recognize the seizure of territory by force be used against Russia when she stopped Germany from seizing the territory after the Polish government had fled, and not against Germany and in the first place the seized the territory from Russia by force while Russia was too exhausted from fighting to protest, and that is not dangerous to resist?

It often appears to me and maybe to others too that the anti-Russian campaign so violent a short time ago is only lying dormant while Russia is putting up such a splendid fight against our common foe ready, should the red light turn to green, to once more spring into action with nothing too vile or low to throw at our gallant ally.

F. A. NICHOLAS

Entwistle, Alta.

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Draft Dodgers

Editor Bulletin: It is sure gratifying to see the city police and the R.C.M.P. visiting pool halls, beer parlors, etc., and picking up those towards who are scurrying to safety when our boys will soon need reinforcements; but why, oh why! don't the R.C.M.P. come up here?

In one camp of about 400 men I maintain 150 should be in the uniform. All one can hear is my deferment, my postponement, etc. Somehow a few of those dodgers have been getting postponements and he knows why! A full investigation by the R.C.M.P. would clarify the whole situation as any one of them could be replaced by a girl (ie., truck drivers, office clerks, etc. In fact not one of the dodgers are on jobs that either require brawn or skill.

There are quite a few lads up here who were in the army and it seems a pity to see them eating at the same table.

In closing Mr. Editor I beg you to do your best to further a thorough check up by the R.C.M.P. as some of the dodgers have been here for about two years. It is too bad to have to fly them out; what should be done is make them walk out.

J. R. SMITH,
1940-42 Vet.

Norman Wells, N.W.T.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Smelters and Nickel advanced a point or more on today's market and gains of 5 to 10 cents were netted by Falconbridge, Ventures, Waite Amulet, Sherritt, Normetal and Mining Corporation. Steep Rock firmed 2 to 3.

By James Richardson & Sons

	Open Sale	Close Sale
Aunor	3.20	3.25
Beattie Gold	1.60	1.65
Bralorne	11.50	11.37
Broulan Porc.	.84½	.82½
Buffalo Ankerite	3.10b	3.25
Can. Malartic	.60	—
Central Patricia	1.65b	1.68
Chesterfield Larder	1.31	1.33
Dome Mines	26.25b	27.00
East Malartic	1.58	1.60
God's Lake Mines	.17	.17
Gunnar Gold	.15	.14½
Hard Rock Gold	1.00	.99
Hollinger Gold	10.87b	11.25b
Hud. Bay M. & Smelt.	29.25	29.25
Kirkland Lake Gold	.80	.81
Kerr Addison	8.45	8.45
Lake Shore Mines	13.50b	13.75
Little Long Lac	.92	.95
McKenzie Red Lake	1.51	1.51
McIntyre Porc.	.56½	.57
Macassa Mines	3.40b	3.40b
McLeod Cockshutt	2.20	2.18
Malartic Goldfield	3.35	3.30
Moneta Porc.	.38	.38b
Noranda Mines	47.50b	48.50
O'Brien Gold	1.30	1.35
Paymaster Cons.	.39	.30½
Perron Gold	.88b	.92
Pioneer Gold	2.00b	2.00b
Pickle Crow Gold	1.77b	1.83
Premier Gold	.95	.95
Preston East Gold	2.20	2.20
San Antonio Gold	3.30	3.30
Sherrit Gordon	.73	.77
Siscoe Gold	.52½	.52½
Sladen Malartic	.54¾	.55
Steeprock	2.05	2.10
Sullivan Cons.	1.60	1.60
Teck Hughes Gold	3.10	3.15
Sylvanite Gold	1.98b	2.05
Springer Sturgeon	.74	.72
Upper Canada	1.50	1.57
Ventures Ltd.	5.85b	6.00
Waite Amulet	4.45	4.50
Wright Hargreaves	2.95	2.97
Aldermac	.12	.16
Bankfield	.13½b	.13½
Base Metals	.12½a	.10½
Bidgood	.38	.39
Bobjo	.08½b	.08½
Cariboo Gold	1.58b	1.58
Chromium Mines	1.60b	1.75
Coniarum	1.50	1.54
Cochenour	1.92	1.93
Coniages	1.11b	1.11b
Eldorado	1.15	1.22
Falconbridge	3.25	3.30
Francoeur	.33	.33
Goldale	.15	.15
Howey	.28½	.28½
Bufalo Cana	.09½b	.09½
Lamaque	5.60b	5.60b
Leich Gold	1.12	1.10
Madsen Red Lake	1.49	1.49
Mining Corp.	1.83	1.90
Lake Dufault	.82	.80
McVittie	.07b	.07b
Nipissing	1.60	1.61b
Normetal	.78b	.88
Negus	.55b	.55b
Jason	.23b	.26
Pamour	1.24	1.29
Pend Oreille	1.38	1.38
Powell Rouyn	1.37	1.35
Reno Gold	.03½	.03½
Sturgeon River	.19	.19
St. Anthony	.03b	.03b
Slave Lake	.01½b	.01½
Senator Rouyn	.43½b	.45b

Montreal & Toronto

MONTREAL, Dec. 8—(CP)—Price today's market and up fractions to 3½ Newsprint Pfd. touched a new high on were Fraser common and coting, Bathurst, Dryden, Abitibi common and 6 uer cent preferred, Howard Smith, Canada Power and Paper pfd., St. Lawrence Corp. common and "A" and St. Lawrence Paper pfd.

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	Open	Close
Assoc. Brew.	22.50a	21.50b
Bell Telephone	153.00	136.00
Brazilian	23.00	23.00
Br. American Oil	21.50	21.62
B.C. Power A.	25.00b	24.00
Building Prod.	15.00b	15.25
Can. Car & Fdy.	9.00a	7.87b
Can. Pac. Rly.	9.25	9.87
Cockshutt Plow	10.75a	10.50b
Cons. Smelters	40.25b	31.25
Cons. Gas	132.00	132.00
Dom. Bridge	23.00	23.00
Dom. Stores	10.00a	9.50b
Dom. Textile	72.00b	73.00b
Ford of Can.	23.75	23.50
Hiram Walker	61.00	60.87
Imperial Oil	14.12	14.25
Imperial Tob.	11.25	11.00
Int. Nickel	29.00	29.87
Int. Pete	21.37	21.62
Loblaw A.	23.00	22.75
Massey Harris	7.87	7.87
Nat. Brew.	32.00b	32.50b
Nat. Steel Car	54.87	—
Page Hershey Tube	99.00a	—
Power Corp.	6.00b	6.50b
Quebec Power	13.00a	12.50b
Shawinigan	14.00b	14.00b
Steel of Canada	61.00b	61.50b
Aluminum	94.00a	94.00
Bathurst	13.00	13.00b
Cons. Bakeries	14.75b	14.75b
Can. Bud Breweries	12.00b	—
Can. Cement	7.00b	7.00
Can. Celenese	34.00b	35.00b
Can. Malting	43.00b	43.00b
Can. Invest. Fund	4.00	4.00
Can. Steamship Pfd.	31.75b	32.00a
Cons. Paper	5.25	5.25
Dom. Tar and Chem.	7.00b	7.50b
Dom. Steel & Coal B	8.00	7.87
Dist. Seagrams	35.00	35.50b
Fanny Farmer	28.50	28.87
Frazer Co.	17.50b	—
Genesteel Wares	11.00	11.00
Gypsum Lime & Al.	6.50b	6.00b
Hamilton Bridge	4.87b	5.00
Howard Smith	13.00b	—
Lake of Woods M	22.50a	22.00b
Robert Mitchell	17.50b	17.62b
Ogilvies Flour	23.00b	23.00b
Price Bros.	18.00b	18.25b
St. Lawrence Corp.	2.75b	3.25b

BANKS

Stocks—	Close
Commerce	133.00
Dominion	155.00b
Montreal	154.00
Nova Scotia	240.00b
Royal	130.00b
Toronto	235.00

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The North East quarter of Section Ten (10), Township Seventy-seven (77), Range Twenty-two (22), West of the 5th Meridian. On this quarter there are a house 30x18, Barn 78x38, chicken coop, wood shed, three wells and two ponds. There are One Hundred and Fifty (150) acres under cultivation.

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Range in Grain Prices

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKETS

By James Richardson & Sons

December 8, 1943

RYE—	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close	Season's High	Season's Low
December	116¼	116½	116¼	116½b	116¼b	118	89
May	117⅛	117½	116¾	117½a	117⅛	117½	92½a
July	115⅝	116	115¼	116a	115⅝a	116	110¼

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

By James Richardson & Sons

December 8, 1943

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close	Season's High	Season's Low
WHEAT—							
December	168½	168½	167⅝	168¼	168½	168¾	142⅝
May	164¾	164¾	163⅝	164	164½	164¾	146⅛
July	161¾	162	160⅞	161⅞	162	162⅝	144⅜
OATS—							
December	81⅝	82	81⅛	81¾	81¾	82	59¾
May	76¾	77	75⅞	76¾	77	78	67⅛
July	74⅝	74⅞	73⅞	74⅝	74⅞b	76½	67⅝
RYE—							
December	119	119⅝	117¾	118⅝	118⅝	119⅜	86⅛a
May	119⅝	120⅜	118⅛	119⅝	119¼	120⅜	100⅛
July	118¼	119⅛	116⅞	118¼	118	119⅛	103½

MARKET MOVEMENTS

DECEMBER 8, 1943.

Stocks—
At New York: Small gains.
At Montreal: Newsprints up.
At Toronto: Metals advance.

Wheat—
At Winnipeg: Trading suspended; last close 1.20.
At Chicago: ⅛ to ½ lower, closing at 1.68¼ (Dec.).

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Dec. 8—(AP)—In the final hour advances ranged from fractions to a point or more on today's stock market. Stocks in higher ground included Bethlehem Steel, Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Deere, Eastman Kodak, American Can, Johns-Manville, American Locomotive and Pullman.

Stocks—	High	Low	Close
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	156⅞		
Anaconda Copper	24⅞	24⅝	24⅞
Atchison	55		
Bethlehem Steel	56¾	56⅛	56⅝
Chrysler	78¼	77	78
Cons. Edison	21⅝	21⅜	21⅝
Douglas Aircraft	48¼	48	48
General Electric	57	56⅝	57
General Motors	50¾	50½	50¾
Kennecott Copper	30½	30⅛	30⅜
Mont'y Ward	45¼	45	45
N. Y. Central	15	15¾	16
Pennsylvania	25⅝		
Republic Steel	17¼	17	17¼
Socony Vacuum	12¼	12⅛	17¼
Standard Oil, N.J.	54⅜	54¼	54⅝
United Air	26¼		
U.S. Rubber	41		
U.S. Steel	51⅞	51½	51½
Westinghouse	93⅝	93¼	93⅝

TORONTO CLOSING AVERAGES

By James Richardson & Sons

Industrials	116.80	up .69
Golds	96.52	up .67
Base metals	68.91	up .58
Western oils	25.91	up .18

Chicago Grain Prices Slump

CHICAGO, Dec. 8—(AP)—Grains slumped today although at one time rye prices were up about a cent, reaching new seasonal peaks, on buying by houses with eastern connections. Profit-taking was heavy and the grain backed down below the previous close.

Wheat displayed an easier undertone despite reports of an active flour business. The Commodity Credit Corporation announced purchase of 1,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat. Weather in the southwest was cloudy, but no moisture was reported.

At the close wheat was ⅛-½ lower, oats were unchanged to ½ down, rye was unchanged to ½ higher and barley was ⅛ lower to ¼ higher.

Wheat: Dec. 1.68¼, May 1.64⅛-1.64, July 1.61⅞, Sept. 1.60¾.

Oats: Dec. 81⅝-¾, May 76⅝-¾, July 74½-⅝, Sept. 73⅛.

Rye: Dec. 1.18⅝, May 1.19½-⅝, July 1.18⅛-¼, Sept. 1.17-1.17⅛.

Barley: Dec. 122¾, May 1.19, July 1.17.

Cash wheat, none; oats, No. 1 mixed, 84½; barley, malting, 1.26-1.41n.

Livestock

EDMONTON, Dec. 8—Total receipts: Cattle 455, calves 76, hogs 825, sheep 152.

Trading on the cattle market slow, with prices barely steady on the quality offered. Very few good butchers on offer. Packers very particular in their purchases. Best steers offered this morning top 11. Bulk of the better feeder steers trading from $8½-$9 with light kinds $7-$8 and plain as low as $6.

CATTLE—	
Good-choice fed calves	$10.00 to 10.50
Good-choice h'y steers	11.00 to 11.50
Fair-medium steers	8.50 to 10.50
Common to fair steers	6.00 to 8.50
Good-choice heifers	9.50 to 10.25
Fair-medium heifers	7.00 to 8.75
Common-fair heifers	5.50 to 7.00
Good-choice light cows	7.00 to 7.50
Good-choice heavy cows	6.00 to 7.00
Fair-medium cows	5.00 to 6.00
Common to fair cows	4.50 to 5.00
Canners and cutters	2.50 to 4.50
Bulls	5.00 to 7.00
STOCKERS AND FEEDERS	
Good to choice steers	8.00 to 9.25
Common-fair steers	6.50 to 7.50
Good-chooice heifers	6.50 to 7.50
Stock cows	6.50 down
VEAL CALVES—	
Good choice	11.50 to 12.00
Good heavy kinds	10.00 to 10.50

Veal calves steady. Good to choice handy weight $11-$12, good heavies $10, but common kinds as low as $5.50.

Hogs steady, basic $15.85. Farmers and truckers are advised to contact salesman before shipping.

Lambs firmer. Bulk good lambs $10-$10½, with tops off cars $10¾. Yearlings $6 down and good light ewes $5 down.

AT WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8—(CP)—Receipts: Cattle 950, calves 145, hogs 1,800, sheep 380.

Steers up to 1,050 lbs. choloce $11½-$11¾, good $10¾-$11¼, medium $9¼-$10½, common $8-$9, heifers choice $10¼-$10¾, good $9¾-$10, medium $8¾-$9½, common $7½-$8½, fed calves choice $11½-$11¾, good $10¾-$11¼, medium $10-$10½, cows good $7¾-$8, medium $6½-$7½, bulls good $7-$8¼, common $5½-$6½, stocker and feeder steers good $8-$9¼.

Gopd and choice veal $12½-$14, common and medium $7½-$12.

Hogs, grade B1 dressed, $16.30.

Good lambs, $10¾-$11.

AT TORONTO

TORONTO, Dec. 8—(CP)—Cattle 400, calves 100, hogs 800, sheep and lambs 1,000.

Common to medium butcher heifers $9¼-$11¼, common to medium cows $6¾-$8½, canners $5, bulls $7-$9, stockers $7-$10½.

Calves $15-$15½ for choioce with other vealers downward to $10.

Lambs $12¼-$12½ for good ewes and wethers with a small lot $12.60, bucks $1 discount, sheep $3-$7.

Hogs, $17.15, dressed weight.

AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Dec. 8—(AP)—Hogs, 29,000. Good and choice 200-750 lb. $13¾ the top, 270-330 $13¼-½, good and choice 170-190 $12½-$13¼, 150-170 $11¾-$12¾, bulk good and choice 300-550 lb. sows $12.40-75.

Sheep, 11,000. Good and choice native and fed wooled western lambs $14¾ down.

Cattle 13,000, calves 1,000. Steers and yearlings $13-$15½, heavy fleshy feeders $12½ upward, heifers prospective top $16, cutters $7¾ down, canners $6¼-$7, vealers $15 down.

The Rev. Daniel Young, minister of First Baptist church was introduced as a new member at the weekly banquet of the Y's Men's club held in the Y.M.C.A. Tuesday. The president Max Dewar acted as chairman.

Threat to Hitler

Turkey Has Strong Military Forces to Place in Conflict

By LEWIS HAWKINS

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Turkey, a country with a potential of 2,000,000 soldiers now boldly aligned with the Allies, guards the back-door to the Balkans, and diplomatically is the Achilles heel of Hitler's southeast fortress.

It was Berlin's recognition of this very weakness that sent the suave, ace trouble-shooter of German diplomacy, Franz Von Papen, to Turkey as Nazi ambassador. Now Von Papen appears finally to have lost a four-year see-saw struggle.

Turkish entry into the war as a fighting partner—opening an Allied drive overland into Bulgaria or Greece—would compel Hitler to abandon his Balkan treasure house, or garrison it heavily from his thinning forces.

MIGHT GRANT BASES

Short of actually throwing her weight into war, Turkey might grant invaluable, already-prepared bases for easy air smashes at scattered and battered Nazi war industries, at shaky Balkan satellite capitals and Ploesti's oil fields.

Turkey sits astride the Dardanelles, potential funnel to pour more war supplies directly to Russia, or to mass shipping and naval power in the Black Sea for an offensive in concert with Russia against the Rumanian or Bulgarian coasts.

Perhaps the best of Turkey's fine new air bases is at Eskisehir, Anatolia, about 420 miles from Ploesti. Others are scattered widely over the western part of the country, including those at Istanbul, Ankara, Izmir and Adana, and from them all the Balkans and particularly Greece are vulnerable.

Nazi targets in Greece might be profitably hammered on a shuttle basis between southern Italy only some 650 miles away.

Effective use of the Dardanelles would depend upon recapture or neutralization of German island bases in the Aegean. But with nearby Turkish air bases, the smaller islands such as Kos, Samos, and Leros, could be made untenable, and the larger key ones of Crete and Rhodes would be laid open for combined assault.

HARD STRONG ARMY

Turkey could contribute an army of about 200,000 troops now under arms, and increase them quickly to 500,000, with another 1,500,000 in reserve. Her soldiers traditionally are brave and hardy, and tough defensive fighters especially.

Well-equipped in light arms, field guns, anti-tank and anti-aircraft weapons and artillery, the Turkish army is weak in mechanized equipment, but in the rugged Balkan terrain this would be no great handicap.

Her air force, which numbered but 300 planes in 1940, now is safely estimated at three to four times that number, thanks to Lend-Lease and a vigorous training program. The Turkish navy is small.

Powerful Allied armies stand ready for action in the Mediterranean.

Hitler now has in southeastern Europe about 23 divisions, plus some 35 satellite divisions of doubtful ability and enthusiasm. He could not reinforce them greatly without risking disaster elsewhere. On the air side, the Germans have only about 500 first-line planes in the Balkan area.

U.S. Buying Helps Rye at Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8—(CP)—Subsantial buying for American account pushed rye into higher ground today on the Winnipeg grain exchange and futures closed ¼ to ⅜ higher.

The December option, which established a new seasonal high of $1.17⅛ during the session, finished at $1.16½, May $1.17½ and July $1.16.

Wheat trading was practically a blank, although boats were still loading grain at the Lakehead.

The Canadian Wheat Board announced that general delivery quotas for oats and barley have been raised to 10 bushels a seeded acre at all stations in Western Canada. The move was made to meet future eastern feeding requirements.

WINNIPEG CASH WHEAT

By James Richardson & Sons

Wheat—	Close	Barley—	Close
1 hard	120¾	1 C.W. 6 row	64¾
1 Nor.	123¼	2 C.W. 6 row	64¾
2 Nor.	117⅝	1 C.W. 2 row	64¾
3 Nor.	116¼	2 C.W. 2 row	64¾
4 Nor.	109¾	3 C.W. 6 row	64¾
No. 5	105¾	1 feed	64¾
No. 6	102¾	2 feed	64¾
Feed	100¾	3 feed	64¾
Track	120¾	Track	64¾
Garnet 1	114¾	Oats—	
Garnet 2	113¾		
Garnet 3	112¼	2 C.W.	51½
Rye—		X 3 C.W.	51½
1 C.W.	116½	3 C.W.	51½
2 C.W.	116½	X 1 feed	51½
3 C.W.	111½	1 feed	51½
Rej. 2 C.W.	104½	2 feed	51½
4 C.W.	102½	3 feed	51½
Track	116½	Track	51½

WINNIPEG PRIVILEGES

By James Richardson & Sons

Grains—	Bids	Offers
July rye	115½b	116¾b
May rye	116⅞	118⅜b

Grain Inspections

Edmonton cars inspected, Dec. 7:

	Straight	Total
Wheat—		
2 Northern	7	
3 Northern	1	8
Oats—		
2 C.W.	2	
Extra 1 feed	3	5
Barley—		
1 feed	1	
2 feed	3	5
Flax—		
1 C.W.	1	1
Total	16	16

Edmonton Grain

National Grain Co.

Oats—	Close	Barley—	Close
2 C.W.	39½	1 C.W.	48¾
X 3 C.W.	38½	2 C.W.	48¾
X 1 feed	38½	3 C.W.	48¾
1 feed	38½	1 feed	47¾
2 feed	36½	2 feed	47¾
3 feed	31½	3 feed	42¾
Rye—	Close	Rye—	Close
2 C.W.	96¾	4 C.W.	82¾
3 C.W.	91¾	Ergoty	80¾

These are Edmonton street prices on grain. Prices at all outside points are adjustable from point of shipment.

Alberta Oils

	Bid	Asked	Prev. Bids
Anglo Can.	.62	.65	.62
A.P. Cons.	.11	.14	.11
Brown	.06½	.08	.06½
C. & E.	1.95	1.98	
Calmont	.22	.23½	.22
Commonwealth	.28	.30	.28
Dalhousie	.33	.40	.31½
Eastcrest	.09⅞	.10	.09¼
Foothills	1.25	1.40	1.20
Highwood Sar.	.11	.15	.11
Home Oil	3.40	3.45	3.30
Model	.21	.25	.20
Okalta	.68	.72	.62
Pacalta	.03½	.03¾	.03½
Royalite	30.00	21.50	21.00a
United	.05½	.06	.05¼
Vulcan	.18		.18

Vancouver Mines

Mines—	Bid	Asked
Bralorne Mines	11.25	11.50
Cariboo Gold	1.50	
Grandview	.10¼	
Hedley Mascot	.34	.37
Island Mountain	.86	.95
Minto Gold	.01¾	.02
Nicola Mining	.05	
Pacific Nickel	1.25	
Pend Oreille	1.25	
Pioneer Gold	2.05	2.20
Premier Gold	.92	.95
Privateer	.31½	.32
Reeves Macdonald	.20	.30
Reno Gold	.03	.04
Whitewater	.03¼	.03½
Ymir Yankee Gold	.09½	.11¼

Dow Jones Averages

Industrials—		
11 a.m.	133.90	up .53
Noon	134.11	up .74
1 p.m.	134.35	up .98
2 p.m.	134.42	up 1.05
Closed	134.42	up 1.05
Rails—		
11 a.m.	32.85	up .71
Noon	32.02	up .38
1 p.m.	33.16	up .52
2 p.m.	33.12	up .48
Closed	33.17	up .53
Utilities—		
11 a.m.	21.71	up .09
Noon	21.72	up .10
1 p.m.	21.75	up .13
2 p.m.	21.73	up .11
Closed	21.72	up .10

LONDON STOCKS

LONDON, Dec. 8—(AP)—A selective demand for industrials kept the stock market on an even keel today. Other groups were quiet. Oils were indifferent while some irregularity was noted among Kaffirs. Diamonds rallied on support fro mCape Town. Coppers and rubbers did little either way. Home rails were mostly unchanged. International securities tended higher. British funds were steady.

Local Produce

BUTTER PRICES

No. 1, 34½; No. 2, 32½; No. 3, 30½.

CREAM PRICES

Prices for cream delivered to Edmonton creameries: Special grade, 41; No. 1, 39; No. 2, 34; off-grade, 29.

EGG PRICES

Wholesalers to retailers: A large 47½, medium, 45½, pullets, 42½; B, 42½; C, 37-40.

Wholesalers to country shippers A large, 42-43, medium 40-41; pullets, 36-37, B, 35-37, C, 30-32.

Average prices to consumers A large 52; medium, 50; pullets, 46; B, 44; C, 40.

All prices include government bonus of 10c to farmers.

Dies at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Dec. 8—(CP)—Charles Ruggles, 61, manager of the parliamentary restaurant here since 1930 and chief steward to Lord and Lady Willingdon for 21 years, died yesterday. Born in England, Mr. Ruggles spent 11 years with Lord Willingdon in India while he was governor of Madras and Bombay.

Hungary has been the home of the Magyars for 1,000 years.

Urge Restrictions On Beer Be Lifted

WINNIPEG, Dec. 8—(CP)—The Winnipeg and District Trades and Labor Council last night approved a resolution urging the federal government to immediately remove restrictions on production and consumption of beer and native liquors.

The resolution, which will be forwarded to Prime Minister Mackenzie King, stated that present restrictions are the direct cause of the abnormal demand for these beverages.

Fear that persons may not get any beverage at all at liquor stores has caused dissatisfaction and some absenteeism, it said, adding that there was no shortage of materials or labor to justify any reduction in production of beer or native liquors.

J. G. Hutchison, of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters, Local 343, asserted the prime minister had given a free hand to the temperance group and the result was "the most ungodly muddle this country ever faced with regard to the liquor question."

Parley of Empire Premiers Planned

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Clement Attlee, lord president of the council and deputy prime minister, told the House of Commons yesterday that arrangements have been made to hold a meeting of dominion prime ministers. Details were still under discussion, he said.

The dominion prime ministers have visited London at least once each during the war but they have never been here together.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King has been kept informed of plans for a meeting of dominion prime ministers and is prepared to attend when such a meeting is held, it was learned here yesterday. Mr. King is at present holidaying in the United States. Spokesmen here said it is not anticipated the prime ministers would meet "for some months," since arrangements would take time to complete.

Warns U.S. Must Beat Inflation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Americans must now beat down a threat of inflation or risk an unstable future, War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes declared last night.

Byrnes, in a broadcast speech, warned that:

1. Government subsidies, attacked in congress, must be maintained or food prices will leap seven per cent.

2. Efforts of "pressure groups" to jam through wage increases violating the hold-the-line policy against inflation must cease.

3. Greater savings and greater taxes are imperative.

"The prospect of a stable, peaceful and prosperous America is far from bright simply because the American people apparently do not realize the supreme importance of holding the line against inflation," Byrnes said.

'Flu Victims

TORONTO, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Thomas E. Johns, assistant superintendent of schools, said yesterday between 7,000 and 10,500 pupils of city Public schools were 'flu victims in the last two weeks. He said at least 100 teachers are also absent as a result of the epidemic, which shows no signs of abating.

War Criminals Without Rights To Seek Refuge

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Viscount Simon, chairman of the United Nations' commission for investigation of war crimes, told the House of Lords yesterday that no criminal who takes refuge in a neutral state will have any legal right to say: "Here I am and here I stay."

"There is no such thing in international law as a right of asylum attaching to an individual," he declared. "It is part undoubtedly of the sovereignty of any state to admit such foreigners, but the state is at perfect liberty to eject them again."

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Mother Goose Set of 8 lights. Set ... $1.35
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Extra Bulbs, Mazda, small ... 2 for 15c
Extra Bulbs, Mazda, medium, each ... 15c
Christmas Tree Stands, each ... 69c
—Hardware Section, on the Lower Main Floor

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—On the Second Floor

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—Women's Sportswear Section, on the Second Floor

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—On the Fourth Floor

"The Doctor's Daughters"

By FAITH BALDWIN

CHAPTER XXVI

EMILY'S head ached, her heart went on hammering, the palms of her hands were wet. She wasn't in love, she thought, not in the crazy sense of wanting to make love. Who can make love, who can create it? She merely loved this man sitting here beside her with every breath she drew.

He said: "If I thought she were really the way she tries to make people think—"

Emily drew a deep breath. She said steadily:

"She's not. She is, as you say, unhappy, and I think, frightened. She's acquired a certain veneer, a protective coloring. Underneath, she's sound and sweet. The right man would find her so."

"Thanks," he said, after a while, and rose. "I'm overdue at the office," he told her. He put his hand on her shoulder hard. "You're swell," he said gratefully.

Long after he had left her she sat there and felt the tears spill down her face. Then she wiped them away and went back into the house. She hadn't let Nancy down, and she hadn't let herself down. Because she believed all she had said. She knew Nancy, none better. What she didn't believe was that Jim was the man for Nancy, the man to call out all her latent tenderness and gentleness, to bring her happiness, to be made happy in his turn.

She spoke to some unseen monitor as she went slowly upstairs. But what else could I have said? she asked helplessly.

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Autumn blazed past, and Mrs. Edgar launched her campaign beginning the night that Emily, with extreme reluctance, dined at the Edgar house, with a friendly, even affectionate hostess. After dinner she sent Frank up to the attic in order to find an old snapshot book. During his absence, much prolonged as the book was reposing in a bottom drawer of Mrs. Edgar's own desk, she offered Emily a cigarette and some advice.

She said gently, "Frank's asked you to marry him, hasn't he?"

Emily nodded, and waited.

"Of course, I would be delighted," Elsie Edgar assured her, and murmured something about her affection for the entire Hall family, "and yet—you will permit me to be honest?"

"Of course," said Emily, suppressing a desire to laugh.

"For both your sakes," said Mrs. Edgar smoothly, "it might not be wise—much as I would like to see it."

Emily said, rather shortly:

"I've refused him, Mrs. Edgar."

"You used to call me Aunt Elsie," said the older woman. She added, "He doesn't believe that you'll go on refusing forever. Frank's very persistent."

She added idly that, persistent or not, he was susceptible. "That pretty girl in New York — I disapprove of her, my dear. I hoped he'd get over it, and he did. And then I thought perhaps that he and Nancy—" she smiled and shrugged.

Emily waited again.

Mrs. Edgar said with an entirely spurious air of helplessness and appeal:

"If I knew what to do . . . It's appalling to see him so indecisive, but you could help me, Emily, if you weren't in Cranberry . . ."

Emily's eyes were quiet and cautious. She braced herself. She thought, here it comes, and she's quite capable . . . Mrs. Edgar hurried on. She said, "After all, you're wasted here. You have a remarkable talent . . . of sympathy and understanding. A larger field than Cranberry, perhaps Boston, for instance . . . I have considerable influence, and things might be arranged—"

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She paused, expectantly, and Emily said gently:

"I understand perfectly. But I like my job here, and the reason I came home was to be near my mother and father."

"Of course. And yet—"

Emily thought, it might be a solution. Away from Cranberry—from Jim. If she didn't see him every day, if she didn't have to watch him with Nancy, and feel the slow twist of the knife each time . . . ? She said, on a deep breath:

"I—I will think it over."

"Good," said Mrs. Edgar. She added after a minute, "By the way, I haven't told anyone yet, not even Frank, but I am expecting a house guest. When I was in England years ago I met such a charming woman, Lady Eleanor Dawson. The younger daughter of the Duke of Moley," she explained gently. "Her husband, Captain Dawson, died during the last war. She—Lady Eleanor—has a very attractive daughter, Muriel. Lady Eleanor sent her over here to school when the blitz started. She's spent most of her vacations with relatives in Canada . . . but I thought it would be nice if she could spend Christmas here . . ."

Mrs. Edgar went on smoothly, "So I invited her a few days ago. There's a letter in today's mail saying she'll be delighted to come." She added that it would be great fun to have a young girl in the house. Muriel was nineteen, a typical English blonde.

Emily repressed a desire to inquire about her teeth and the size of her feet.

Frank arrived, disgusted. He hadn't found the damned book. He didn't believe it existed His mother apologized, amiably. "I'm so sorry, but it doesn't matter, really," Frank. I haven't told you, I was saving it as a sort of after dinner—savory . . . but I learned today that the government has decided upon the Elderberry property as the proper site for the defence housing."

Chalk up two victories for Mrs. Edgar.

(To Be Continued)

V

McCoy Health Service

Dizziness is like many other symptoms in that it may be the sign of only a passing disturbance or may signify the existence of some more serious disorder. It is capable of being produced by a wide variety of causes, some of which are trivial in nature; some of which are important.

In referring to dizziness or giddiness the patient usually says the "head is swimming." He may say that objects near him are going around, or may feel that the floor under his feet is tipping and reeling.

Possibly the two chief causes of dizziness are stomach upsets and sluggishness of the liver, either of which is capable of inducing an attack of vertigo. The dizziness accompanying what is popularly termed a bilious attack is fairly common, although the vertigo itself does not remain for any length of time. The patient has a poor appetite, may notice digestive distress or headache and finds that when he tries to move, objects either blur or turn black in front of him. If he stoops over, he may notice that the dizziness becomes suddenly noticeable upon trying to stand erect. As soon as the attack of indigestion or biliousness passes off the dizziness disappears.

If the dizzy sensation appears while on a street car, or while riding in a train it is probably due to eyestrain and the best plan is to have the eyes examined. When the cause is eye fatigue, imbalance of the muscles of the eye, or some defect in the shape of the eyeball, the dizziness is easily banished by giving the eyes the necessary attention. This type of dizziness is called visual vertigo and is said to be on the increase, due to the extra demands put upon the eyes by modern living conditions.

There are various ear disorders capable of producing a most annoying dizziness. The balancing mechanism within the ear which keeps us aware of our position in space and helps to maintain equilibrium may be disturbed through such abnormal conditions as Menière's disease or otosclerosis and dizziness may then result.

Dizziness is also a symptom which may occur in nervous patients, who find it a most disagreeable sensation. It is also seen in anemia and low blood pressure. Some of the patients with high blood pressure and hardening of the arteries are also troubled by vertigo.

The excessive use of tobacco, alcohol or coffee is also capable of inducing dizziness which usually does not remain for any great length of time. Auto-intoxication is another possible cause of dizziness, with complete relief promptly following the eradication of the toxic condition.

The presence of a heart disorder may prove the cause of an annoying dizziness which causes the patient much discomfort. Brain tumors, diseases of the central nervous system, and the petit mal type of epilepsy, are other possible causes. Some patients with a tendency to Migraine headache report that dizziness frequently marks the onset of the attacks. Infections around the roots of teeth or within the sinus cavities are another possible cause. Catarrh affecting the back of the nose and throat and producing an obstruction of the Eustachian tubes leading to the earls is still another possible cause. In some instances, neck injuries which bring about an increased tension of the muscles of the neck, are capable of causing dizziness, with the patient being completely relieved by corrective manipulation.

All questions regarding health and diet will be answered. Large, stamped, self-addressed envelope must be enclosed. Write on one side of paper only. Letters must not exceed 150 words. Address McCoy Health Service, The McCoy Building, 1151 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

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Mayor Re-Elected At Medicine Hat

MEDICINE HAT, Alta., Dec. 8.—(CP)—Mayor Herbert Lang was re-elected by acclamation for his sixth term as Chief Magistrate of Medicine Hat at the close of nominations Monday. Election date for vacancies on the city council and public school board is Dec. 13. Letellier O'Connor and H. Lefort were declared elected by acclamation to fill the two vacancies on the Separate school board.

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GASOLINE ALLEY

AROUND HOME

HIGH STRIVER

The Bulletin's SPORT SHOW by Hal Dean

SPORTS EDITOR

THAT stampede from the bench of the Quartermasters during the third quarter of last night's basketball game at Westglen when the flareup threatened after Culver had fouled Chamness, was most surprising to say the least and smacked of bush tactics. Non-players and even the officer presumably in charge took part.

Such a storming on to a floor—and the same would apply equally to a sports field—is never conducive to peace and usually leaves the offenders wide open to suspicion regarding their knowledge of both rules and sportsmanship.

Moreover Culver, who happens to be considerably bigger than Chamness didn't look as if he needed any outside help and certainly he didn't call for any. In direct contrast to the Quartermaster action, not a single player or official moved from the Engineers' bench.

ARE REFEREES TOO STRICT?

POSSIBLY the rules under which basketball is conducted might be improved upon, but that is hardly a matter for argument while play is in progress. In the humble opinion of this operator though, the game could be made more attractive from a spectator's standpoint if some of the whistle blowing could be eliminated.

This is in no sense a reflection upon the referees, who after all are governed by the standard playing code. Furthermore, the officials who have been handling league fixtures here have never set themselves up as being perfect and it is too much to expect that the millennium has already been reached, when all arbiters in any branch of sport would have attained perfection.

It seems quite clear too that the only possible justification for most of the beefs—and these have been too frequent at some of the games—is that the rules are being strictly enforced. In the final analysis it's teams not willing to abide by the regulations adopted in the City Men's Basketball League are quite at liberty to form a circuit of their own where rules could be formulated more suited to individual temperaments.

STRONG ON FREE THROWS

DEFENCE of the Quartermasters last night at times puzzled the Engineers and they have several polished players. "Ollie" Ferrari was very effective, making four field scores out of 12 tries and clicked on both of his free shots. George Brownlie, who scored 29 in the first two games was used very little. Harold Glaser dropped in three successive free throws and George Culver had one for two.

Engineers had a field night in shooting free shots and they counted 13 out of 19. Harley Miller had three for three, John Gullekson two for four, Earl Ayers two for two, "Windy" Smith one for one, Bob Chamness four for four and "Skip" Phillips slipped in one out of two. Field shooting accuracy of the Engineers was 27.1 per cent, while the Quartermasters averaged 14.1.

Bissell fired 20 field shots at the basket in the first half of their game without scoring once. Eight of them were in the first quarter. Starlets made five out of 15 in the initial stanza and two out of 14 in the second.

In the third Bissell's record was two for 12 as against five out of nine for Starlets. Bissell cashed in four times in 21 attempts in the final quarter and Starlets four in 13. Shooting accuracy percentage figures for the game were: Bissell 11.3 and Starlets 31.2

Quartermasters Are Shellacked 57-26; Starlets Defeat Bissel 33-15

Engineers Cop Fifth Straight Cage Victory

Gullekson And Miller Top Scorers

THE U.S. Engineers completed their part of the first round in the City Men's Basketball League with a perfect record of five straight wins, when they stopped the Quartermasters 57-26 at Westglen on Tuesday night. Starlets easily triumphed over Bissell girls 33-15 in the exhibition half of the doubleheader.

John Gullekson again came up as top scorer with a total of 18 points, three more than his Engineer team-mate Harley Miller. Earl Ayers contributed 10 and "Ollie" Ferrari was high for the Quartermasters also with 10, Tom Fowle being next with four. Shirley Thompson and Connie Strachan carried most of the attack for Starlets and split 21 of the total of 33, Shirley securing the odd point. Gwen Riddle headed the list for Bissell with nine.

Engineers scored first and led throughout the entire session with Quartermasters. They were on top 10-3 at the end of the first quarter and increased the margin to 22-10 at the half. They ran up 21 more points to their opponents' seven in the third stanza and kept in front 14-7 during the final heat.

A quite uncalled-for incident occurred in the third quarter. Following a break-away Bob Chamness was pulled down near the basket by George Culver and everybody on the Quartermaster bench rushed out onto the floor. Quiet was eventually restored, a personal being charged to Culver and a technical against the bench. Chamness picked up all three points.

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First point went to "Windy" Smith when fouled by Artie Albert and Harley Miller sent the Engineers ahead 3-0. Culver's first free throw was good on the charging fould against Ayers, who in turn added another marker on Guthrie's foul.

Gullekson missed a free shot awarded when Culver was charged with holding, but scored both on a field basket on Miller's pass to lift the count to 5-1.

Murphy sank the ball on a Guthrie holding foul and Ayers fired in a pair of field goals. "Ollie" Ferrari scored from Albert but before the whistle, leaving the figures 10-3.

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Quartermasters added two points as the second canto opened, one by Ferrari on Miller's foul and Harold Glaser's singleton was made on the penalty against Murphy.

Smith and Ayers boosted the reading to 14-5, but Ferrari got two points back when Albert passed to him for a nice basket. Gullekson missed the second shot on another foul against Guthrie.

Ayers dropped in a field shot and Chamness duplicated with Gullekson's assistance. Quartermasters missed several good shots but Ferrari secured three more points—Chamness' charging foul helping out. Gullekson countered another field goal and Miller made one point on the George Horowitz penalty, making the scoreboard figures 22-10 at half time.

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Quartermasters added five quick points in the third. Ferrari rang the bell on a three-way play with Albert and Guthrie and Albert scored on a breakaway. Glaser's single was on Miller's charging foul.

Miller got the point back on Guthrie's penalty—the fourth personal against the Quartermaster who left the floor. Miller and Gullekson counted more field baskets and Fowle one on Glaser's rebound.

Gullekson boosted his total five, one of the two baskets coming from Ayers' pass and the lone point on Culver's foul. Miller sank the ball on Ferrari's penalty and made another on the technical against Fowle. Gullekson added that to score with two minutes to go, sending the Engineers up 36-17.

It was following this that Chamness added the three points—the first two on the Culver foul and the third on the technical against the Quartermaster bench.

Gullekson counted another basket and Chamness one from "Skip" Phillips before the three-quarter mark with Engineers up 41-17.

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Fowle dropped the ball through the hoop as the final quarter started, and Glaser added one on Chamness' foul. Horowitz also scored for Quartermasters.

Miller picked up three baskets in succession. One from Phillips' rebound and two on passes from Chamness. Benny Cuellar passed to Phillips for another Gullekson counted one and shot the ball to Miller, putting Engineers ahead 55-22.

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Ayers scored from Heiserman and Murphy and Sullivan sank one in the final whistle went.

Engineers—	FG	FT	PS	PT	PF	T
Miller	6	0	3	3	2	15
Gullekson	6	0	3	3	2	18
Ayers	4	0	2	2	1	10
Phillips	0	1	0	1	2	1
Murphy	0	1	1	2	1	1
Chamness	1	2	0	2	2	4
Kroma	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phillips	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cuellar	0	0	0	0	0	0
Heiserman	1	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	22	04	13	19	6	57

Quartermasters—	FG	FT	PS	PT	PF	T
Albert	1	10	0	0	1	2
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ferrari	4	12	2	2	3	10
Horowitz	1	6	0	0	1	2
Guthrie	0	2	0	0	4	0
Fowle	1	2	0	0	0	4
Culver	0	4	1	2	4	1
Barr	0	0	0	0	0	0
Glaser	0	7	3	3	1	3
Relecco	0	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	61	6	7	14	26

Score — 13 points disqualified charged against Ferrari and a technical against Fowle and also one against Quartermaster bench.

Referees—Tommy McCloskin and Ron Keeler; scorer, Cpl. Bruce Carter; timer, J. F. Page.

Legend—FS, field scores; FT, field tries; PS, penalty scores; PT, penalty tries; PF, personal fouls; T, total points.

"A" SECTION

	W	L	F	A	Pct.
Engineers	5	0	231	135	1.000
Yanks	4	1	230	173	.750
Latter Day Saints	2	2	193	190	.500
U.S. Hospital	1	3	149	199	.250
Varsity	1	4	174	229	.200
Quartermasters	0	4	139	237	.000

STARLETS ALWAYS AHEAD AGAINST BISSELL GIRLS

Starlets had little trouble in keeping in front of Bissell in the preliminary game and finished ahead 33-15. Their passing was much better and the losers appeared to be off in shooting.

Clare Hollingsworth's club took a 10-point lead in the opening period when they blanked the opposition. Starlets were up 14-1 at half time and the third quarter figures were 11-5. Bissell held a 2-1 edge in the last period.

Shirley Thompson, Dorothy Belander, Phoebe Foster, Frances Frazer and Connie Strachan all scored field baskets in the initial chapter. Gladys Limming and Denize Callaway added two more in the second, while Bella Riddle scored on a free shot for Bissell.

In the third quarter Connie Strachan ran in six points, while Phoebe Foster made two and Shirley Thompson three. Edith Skitch and Bella Riddle with field baskets and Gwen Riddle with a singleton counted for Bissell.

Thomson added six more points in the final quarter for Starlets and Frances Frazer made one field goal. Gwen Riddle collected eight for Bissell and Pat Meyer one.

Starlets—	FS	FT	PS	PT	PF	T
S. Thompson	5	12	1	1	1	11
D. Belander	1	2	0	0	2	4
E. Foster	2	4	0	2	2	8
F. Frazer	1	1	0	0	2	3
C. Strachan	5	14	0	0	1	10
G. Limming	0	2	0	0	0	0
E. McCormick	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Callaway	1	2	0	0	2	2
H. Eckert	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	51	1	3	7	33
Bissell—	FS	FT	PS	PT	PF	T
D. Meyer	0	1	0	0	1	1
E. Skitch	1	5	0	0	1	2
G. Riddle	4	10	1	1	2	9
B. Riddle	1	7	1	2	1	3
D. Chandler	0	0	0	0	1	0
D. Quilley	0	3	0	1	0	0
Totals	6	55	3	7	5	15

Referees—Tommy McCloskin and Ron Keeler; scorer, Cpl. Bruce Carter; timer, J. F. Page.

Legend—FS, field scores; FT, field tries; PS, penalty scores; PT, penalty tries; PF, personal fouls; T, total points.

Hockey Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Detroit 6, Boston 6, (tie).

OHA JUNIOR "A"

Hamilton 8, Port Colborne 4.
Galt 7, St. Catharines 2.

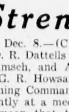
Believe It Or Not — By Robt. Ripley

Tiny Thompson Named Coach

Mustangs to Strengthen Navy

CALGARY, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Lt. Cmdr. D. R. Dattells of H.M.C.S. Tecumseh, and Air Vice-Marshal G. R. Howsam, of No. 4 Training Command, announced jointly at a meeting this afternoon that the two services would amalgamate to form one club, in the Alberta Service Senior Hockey League and will operate under the name of Tecumseh-Mustangs.

The team will be coached by FO. Tiny Thompson with Marty Burke, present Navy mentor, acting in an advisory capacity. If the combined club is approved by league officials at a meeting Wednesday afternoon, they will make its debut against the high - powered A-16 C.I.T.C. of Currie Barracks.


Tiny Thompson

At the Arena tonight.

The line-up will include: goal, PO. Russ Dertell (Air Force); defence, Cpl. Pete Slobodian, PO. Bill Dertell (Air Force) and "Mouse" Giamouzi (Navy); forwards, FO. Ken Hunter, Sgt. Johnny Chad and LAC. Milt Peechet (Air Force); OS. Doug Cairns, AB. Rod Sawyer, Writer Joe Shannon (Navy); OS. Eddie Wares (Navy) and LAC. Doug French (Air Force).

Four "Whiz Kids" Return on Leave

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—The days that Coach Doug Mills thought were gone forever are back again.

When his University of Illinois "Whiz Kids" departed for the armed forces last spring after toppling scoring records to win the Big Ten basketball championship, Mills sorrowfully remarked: "Those days are gone forever."

Four of the "Whiz Kids"—Ken Menke, Gene Vance, Jack Smiley and Art Mathisen—returned to the campus on furlughs last Saturday and played Mills' new crop of cagers. The Alumni team absorbed a 51-35 defeat.

No surprised was Mills that all he could say after the game was "Gee Whiz". Naturally, the experton gave a title to his new quintet —the "Gee Whiz Kids."

Annual Dinner

Annual dinner and dance of the Edmonton District Thoroughbred Society is being held at the Macdonald hotel tonight commencing at 6:30.

Many Baseballers Now in Florida For the Winter

SARASOTA, Fla., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Cold weather seems to have the same effect on baseball players as on geese and ducks, and many of all three are beginning to show up in their old Florida haunts.

Next spring for the second successive year Florida will be without a training camp, but many of the old timers of the baseball colony already have checked in for the duration of cold weather.

Veterans Paul Waner and Johnny Cooney, with Brooklyn last season, are among early arrivals. Others include Red McGrew, scout for the Philadelphia Nationals, and Dean Bush, owners of the Indianapolis club.

Truett (Rip) Sewell of the Pittsburgh Pirates, whose "Blooper" ball was a sensation last season, has returned to Plant City for this season. He was classified 1-A by his draft board and sent to Camp Blanding for induction but failed to pass the physical.

Outfielder Gerald (Gee) Walker of the Cincinnati Reds is back in Homosassa Springs.

Morton Cooper Is Reclassified

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Morton Cooper, ace pitcher of the St. Louis Cardinals, has been reclassified 1-A and ordered to report at Jefferson Barracks Monday for his physical examination for military service. He was a father before the United States entered the war.

Walker Cooper, his brother and the Cardinals' No. 1 catcher, was inducted into limited service at the barracks Nov. 17 but his induction was delayed and he still is awaiting call.

Orlando working in a drug store.

Johnny Nee, veteran New York baseball leather slinger is working at St. Petersburg, peacetime training camps for the Yankees and St. Louis Cardinals. Bill Klem, National League umpire, is at Miami Beach.

Dazzy Vance, who achieved fame as a pitcher for Brooklyn, is operating a hotel and hudling camp at Homosassa Springs.

Women Take Big Part

British Racing Season Ends In Whirl of Higher Prices

By ALLAN NICKLESON

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Britain's 1943 racing season —shortest of the war—hit the finish line in a whirl of booming bloodstock prices that coincided with fears this home of the thoroughbred would face the competitive post-war period short of quality stock. At the same time, the buying crowds at racing sales mirrored optimism concerning an Allied victory in 1944.

Generally, it was a better season than most turf followers expected. In thrills, to say nothing of attendance and wagering, it exceeded other wartime years, with each of the five classic races, including the world-famed Derby, providing a terrific finish.

Women, making heavy inroads on yet another industry, faced so well on the track that two of them may be principal rivals for the 1944 classics. They were the Hon. Dorothy Paget, who has poured more money into racing than any other person on record, and Mrs. Betty Lavington, a comparative newcomer.

Miss Paget, whose American grandfather, William C. Whitney, faced horses here, headed the list district of winning owners with 26 victories that enriched her stud and training stables at Elsenham, Essex, by $59,132. She won the Derby with Straight Deal.

Mrs. Lavington finished her first season as an owner by winning nearly $44,000.

The King with four horses carrying his silks, won six races and $10,000.

Gordon Richards emerged as champion jockey for the 16th time. He had 63 winners, 21 more than his nearest rival, Tommy Carey.

Only 49 meetings were held in 1943 and most events at each were limited to horses trained in the district.

Cowley Drives in Two

Bruins Stage Rally To Tie Detroit 6-6

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—After being spotted two early tallies, the Boston Bruins had to set off a four-goal blast during the third period to gain a 6-6 National Hockey League tie with the Detroit Red Wings Tuesday night before a 7,500 crowd at the Boston Garden.

The Red Wings appeared to have the game all sewed up when they scored twice in less than four minutes of third-period action to pull into a 6-2 lead. But that top-heavy margin against them inspired the Bruins to prodigious feats and they rapped four goals through goalie Jimmy Franks in a bit more than 10 minutes to gain their hard-earned deadlock.

Veteran Bill Cowley tallied twice and the other Boston counters were supplied by Jack Crawford, rookie Russ Knipak, who was pulled up from the Boston Eastern League club Monday, Herb Cain and Don Gallinger.

Carl Liscombe led the Detroit attack by scoring twice and helping Syd Howe to tally. Defenceman Pat Egan collected a goal and an assist and the other Red Wings who beat Bert Gardiner in the Boston net were Alain Brown and Carl Smith.

LINEUPS

Boston: Gardiner, Clapper, Crawford, Cowley, Bell, Cain, Solie, Gallinger, Guidolin, Calladine, Hollett, A. Jackson, H. Jackson, Knipak.

Detroit: Franks, Egan, Buller, Howe, Brunetteau, Liscombe, Suhr, Carveth, Pat Jackson, Smith, Graham, Jennings, Quackenbush, Brown.

Referee: Bill Chadwick; linesmen, Ag. Smith and Bill Cleary.

SUMMARY

First Period: 1, Boston, Crawford, 2.55; 2, Boston, Cowley (Cain, Clapper), 13.32; 3, Detroit, Liscombe (Carveth), 15.19. Penalties: Crawford, Hal Jackson, Egan.

Second Period: 4, Detroit, Egan, 1.34; 5, Boston, Liscombe (Carveth), 12.13; 6, Detroit, Brown (Quackenbush, Jennings), 12.53. Penalties: Guidolin 2, Buller.

Third Period: 7, Detroit, Howe (Brunetteau, Egan), 1.00; 8, Detroit, Smith (Egan), 3.31; 9, Boston, Kopak (Hollett), 7.06; 10, Boston, Gallinger (Clapper, Guidolin), 11.19; 11, Boston, Cain, 13.58; 12, Boston, Cowley (Cain, A. Jackson), 17.21. Penalties: None.

With The Pin Busters

B.P.C. 10 PINS

High single—Loar, 243, Payroll; high triple—Loar, 668.

High team single—Personnel, 814; high team three—Personnel, 2402.

NO. 4 I.T.S.

High single—Lash, 311; Sr. N.C.S. 81; high triple—Lash, 676.

High team single—Sparks, 996; high team three—Sparks, 2684.

INTRA AIRPORT

High team single—J. Wasylyk, 369; high triple—Lenaghan, 812.

High team single—Meteria, 918; high team three—Meteria, 2661.

THEATRE

	W	L
Operettes	27	9
Capitol	19	15
Carnival	19	15
Strand "A"	14	16
Strand "B"	12	18
Empress	11	19
Avenue	12	18
Strand "B"	10	20

High single—Varlow, 274, Capitol; high double—Varlow, 497.

High team single—Capitol, 1098; high team two—Capitol, 1923.

AIRCRAFT REPAIR, R.C.

	W	L
A.I.D. No. 2	20	13
A.I.D. No. 3	20	13
A.I.D. No. 8	21	12
Barnabies	21	12
D.H.	18	15
Write Offs	14	18
A.I.D. No. 1	11	22
A.I.D. No. 7	9	24

High team single—Young, 351; A.I.D. No. 3, high triple—A. Smith, 628; A.I.D. No. 3.

High team single—A.I.D. No. 3, 1417; high team three A.I.D. No. 3, 3877.

TEA TIME

High single—Heidt, 277; Jam Tarts; high double—Heidt, 613.

High team single—Jam Tarts, 931; high team two—Jam Tarts, 1802.

GOVERNMENT MIXED

High single—Brownlee, 311; high triple—Ginter, 806.

High team single—Public Works, 327; high team three—Public Welfare, 3294.

WHEAT ACREAGE

High single—Lac St. Cloud, 265; Mooky Fines, high triple—Morrison, 606; Fundy Fines.

High team single—Mint Julepe, 840; high team two—Mint Julepe, 1584.

AIRCRAFT REPAIR

High single—Kitty Hawks, 349; high team three—Jacobites, 1023.

ZELLERS

	W	L
Zippers	21	12
Zingarios	21	15
Zanies	20	13
Zeds	19	17
Zig Zag's	15	21
Zulus	13	23

High single—Green, 300; high triple—Green, 766.

High team single—Zigarios, 830; high team three—Zigarios, 2390.

Pastor to Fight Gunner Barlund

DENVER, Dec. 8.—(AP)—After a year and a half layoff, Bob Pastor, who twice gave Joe Louis a stirring fight for the heavyweight crown, will meet the rugged Finn, Gunner Barlund, in a 10-rounder in Denver, Dec. 17. Army approval for Pastor's participation was disclosed Tuesday. He is a physical instructor at nearby Fort Logan.

E.A.C. "Frolic" At Barn Tonight

Third and final session of the "Alberta Frolic" variety show being held at The Barn this week is scheduled for tonight. This affair is sponsored by the Edmonton Amateur Athletic Club. The winner of the Victory Bond will be announced this evening.

How They Stand

Club—	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Montreal	11	1	3	13	32	25
Detroit	9	3	3	12	7	21
Toronto	5	6	2	08	44	12
Chicago	3	7	3	09	39	9
Boston	3	5	2	12	31	8
Rangers	0	12	1	10	52	1

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Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy

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NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Larry Atkins of Cleveland, America's second ranking prize fight promoter, believes that Lee Q. Murray, big Connecticut negro, is the most dangerous potential threat to Sgt. Joe Louis' heavyweight crown.

"If the war wuz to end tomorrow," says Promoter Atkins, "I'd say the man most likely to lick Louis wuz Lee Q. Murray." This Atkins' praise of Murray was so entirely unexpected that a startled reporter inquired of the visiting Cleveland entrepreneur Monday night, "How come you boost Murray, when he almost ruined Jimmy Bivins, your meal ticket, last week?"

Atkins, a youngish, broad-shouldered, black-haired chap of 41, fixed the reporter with steely eyes, and remonstrated, "In our Cleveland promotions, we have no meal tickets. We have cards. A Cleveland fighter is a card as long as he can lick anybody we bring in. When he loses to an outsider, the outsider becomes the card."

DOUBLY FORTUNATE

IN THE case of Murray vs "Card" Bivins of Cleveland, Promoter Atkins was doubly fortunate. Little Bivins won an unpopular 10-round decision over Murray last Wednesday night, after Murray had the Cleveland Negro staggering about the ring and dripping with gore. The fans booed the decision so long and so lustily that a re-match was as necessary as if by royal command. They'll tangle again in late February—after both principals recover from their wounds.

Atkins, who in four short years changed Cleveland from one of the country's worst fight cities into a promoter's paradise, said, "I knew Murray was a good fighter before I matched him with Bivins. But during the first two rounds, I thought Murray would ruin me. He never let loose with a punch. Disgustedly, I left my seat at the ringside and walked to the rear of the arena.

But Murray was just mouse-trapping his man. He knew Bivins was a cutie, and he was sucking him in. Bivins left himself open in the third round, and Murray hit him. His rolled with that right-hand to the chin, but the force was so terrific that Bivins wasn't the same for the rest of the fight.

OUTSMARTED MURRAY

"MURRAY hit him so hard over the left brow in the sixth round that you could have stuck your thumb in the cut; but Bivins is not the durable heavyweight champ for nothing. He managed to outsmart Murray for the distance; and I honestly thought he won the fight; although it didn't matter to me who won—as I have Murray tied up on a contract, too."

Atkins, who drew $360,000 with his Cleveland bouts in 1942, and who has provided bouts that drew $413,000 this year, concluded, "I don't know whether little Bivins, who weighs only 187 pounds, or Murray, who has 200 on a six-foot-two frame, is the better fighter. But Murray is the most dangerous; he's the most terrific punches I ever saw; he hits as hard as Louis; he's still a little awkward—being a converted southpaw. But being a converted southpaw makes him a switch hitter, who can knock you dead with either hand. And he's only 23."

Atkins, in New York on a business trip, said it seemed like a dream that he, an understudy to Mike Jacobs—should have the two best civilian heavyweights in the world tied up on contracts. He hoped he still had a contract on Murray when Sergeant Louis is out of the army.

Sports . . . . Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Supporters of American League baseball are starting a move to get Clark Griffith voted into baseball's hall of fame on the next poll . . .

Griff was one of the game's great pitchers in his younger days, a good manager, one of the main reasons why the American League successfully bucked the National some 40 years ago and the man who made a big success of the Washington club even though he operated on a badly worn shoestring . . .

STAR PERFORMANCE

During last week's baseball meetings Chattanooga Joe Engel was telling how he made one of his greatest scouting discoveries — a lanky, patched-pants kid named Joe Cronin. He related how he had recklessly spent $7,500 of Clark Griffith's money for Cronin and then had to take him along for a couple of weeks' scouting because he was afraid to return to Washington with a .245 hitter. . . . Finally Joe had to show off his purchase and persuaded Griffith to watch the kid work out and Cronin made good. . . . Bucky Harris topped off Engel's story. . . . "You know what Cronin said?" he demanded. "After he'd handled about six grounders, he turned to me and said, 'What a combination we'll make!'"

HITTING THE FACE

When Staff Sgt. P. R. Anderson, former Wisconsin runner now a glider student at the South Plains, Tex., Army Air Field, decided to add a new field record to the four he already held, he dropped into the athletic office and asked another pilot to pace him in the 300-yard shuttle run. The pacemaker, Staff Sgt. Lowell Gamblin, not only did the job but broke the record himself by beating out Anderson in 46.6 seconds. He's a former Texas Tech sprinter who had held the old record. . . . The next day Gamblin wasn't around, and Anderson went out and busted the mark by three seconds.

Wife of American Communist Head Will Be Deported

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Raissa Irene Browder, wife of the general secretary of the Communist party in the United States, yesterday lost another plea for suspension of a deportation order against her.

In denying her second plea, the board of immigration appeals said no evidence had been presented to dispel the "doubts and evasions" raised in the board's 1940 decision holding her to be deportable.

The deportation warrant has not been carried out because of difficulties in arranging for Mrs. Browder's return to her native land, Russia, the board said.

Her husband, Earl Browder, a native-born American, was three times the Communist nominee for president.

Super - Battleship Goes Down Ways 'Headed For Tokyo'

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The United States navy floated its newest super-battleship, the Wisconsin, on the second anniversary of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor — and pointed it straight towards Tokyo.

The sleek, high-anouted dreadnought, under construction more than 23 months at a cost of $100,000,000, was launched "as an answer to the surprise attack which came to us two years ago today," in the words of the assistant secretary of the navy, Ralph A. Bard.

"She will be an instrument of retaliation," Bard declared. "She is dedicated to war—a war to the finish—a war that will end only with terms of unconditional surrender. . . . I hope she is destined to sail some day into the harbors of Germany and Japan."

Revenue Is Up On N.Y. Racing

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Horse-racing poured $19,206,140 into New York State's treasury through various channels in 1943, an 84 per cent increase over 1942's revenue.

Chief source of collections was the 6 per cent tax on pari-mutuel betting which, state tax commission reports showed Tuesday, returned $18,511,367 for 222 racing days as compared with $9,808,819 for 256 days last year. Returns from both flat and harness racing are included in the total.

Currie to Play B.C. Exhibitions

VANCOUVER, Dec. 8.—(CP)—Capt. Harry Mighton, sports officer for the Pacific Command, announced last night that the Calgary Army hockey team will play four games against Pacific Coast Senior League teams on dates to be arranged later. The Calgary team likely will play Sea Island R.C.A.F., Seahawks and Nanaimo Army Commanders at Vancouver and R.C.A.F. and Esquimalt at Victoria.

New Vaccine May Curb Tuberculosis

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—A new way of making a vaccine by using tuberculosis germs killed by suffocation, has increased the possibility that this disease can be prevented by vaccination, the University reported yesterday. The method was developed by Dr. Truman Squire Potter of the University's laboratory of preventive medicine. The vaccine has been tested—with promising results—on rabbits with human-type tuberculosis.

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PRIVATE BREGER ABROAD

"Said he won't need his mask. He's got a bad cold and can't smell a thing!"

Closer U.S. Unity With Latin-American Nations Urged by Sumner Welles

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our military operations in Africa depended upon that assistance.

Our power to safeguard the Panama Canal and our access to oil and bauxite resources in northern South America in those dangerous months of 1942 were largely facilitated through the supplementary endeavors of the governments of Panama, Colombia, Venezuela, and the Central American republics.

The submarine menace in the Caribbean was eliminated far more rapidly because of the collaboration of Cuba, the Dominican Republic and Haiti; our supply lines to the South Pacific were secured because of the help given by Ecuador, Peru, Bolivia and Chile; and our capacity to defend our coast line in California and in the Gulf of Mexico was immeasurably enhanced by the effective military partnership offered by the government of Mexico.

Every American republic except Argentina has given its assistance in the common cause to the full measure of its ability.

RECALLS SITUATION IN 1917

It is tonic to remember the situation in 1917 when the United States entered the First World War and there was no good-neighbor policy.

Mexico was seething with resentment against us, and the then German government was actively negotiating for Mexican aid; United States troops were in occupation of two independent American republics and the hostility created by these acts of military intervention was bitter throughout the hemisphere; German influence was powerful in many of the regions lying near the Panama Canal, and in some of the South American countries where German agents were omnipresent, sympathy with the Central Powers was preponderant.

Had such dangers existed in 1942, when Japan and Italy were also both at war with the United States, as they were not in 1917, the situation of our country would have been precarious.

It must also now be clear to every one in the United States who gains his livelihood from the manufacture of goods to be sold abroad that an ever-increasing market in the Western Hemisphere for our exports can only be assured through a continuation of the existing inter-American policy. We will need that market more than ever in the post-war years.

I feel it is useful to emphasize these self-evident truths because of the fact that so many people who believe in and who support the good-neighbor policy, appear to take its existence for granted.

POPULAR SUPPORT REQUIRED

Our inter-American relationships of today have not come into being as many persons, even in Washington, seem to think, because certain high officials of our government have occasionally made speeches replete with worthy and benign sentiments. They exist because many thousands of individuals holding positions of responsibility, both in and out of government, in every one of the 21 American republics, have labored in very practical, concrete ways, during these last years, not only to bring them to life, but, even more, to make them grow.

They will not grow without active popular support. They require constant effort, intelligent vision and occasional sacrifices on the part of every American nation for the common good of all. Once they stop growing, they will inevitably disintegrate.

There are two sure ways of checking this growth.

The first is for the special interests and high-tariff lobbyists in the United States to succeed in their drive, already under way, to prevent this government from assisting other American nations in tiding themselves over economic stresses resulting from war conditions, and to curtail the markets now open in the United States to our American neighbors for their exports.

The other way is for this government to assume that other American governments are going blindly to follow the lead of the United States in post-war policy.

COMMON POLICY

It has been my hope that when the time came for the negotiation of peace ettlements, and for the determination of international organization, the states of the Western Hemisphere would be bound together by a common policy.

I have felt that the New World, removed as it has been from the rivalries and bitterness of Europe and of the Far East, could bring to the consideration of long-range political adjustments and of permanent peace machinery, a greater objectivity than that which can be found in countries which have actually been the battlefields of this most horrible of all wars.

The influence of New World policy in the peace settlements might be of decisive value provided it represented the united will of a united hemisphere.

TIME GROWS SHORT

The time is perhaps growing short. It is more than disquieting to realize that so far there has been no consultation between this government and the governments of the other American nations regarding these vital questions. We have been thankful to have their help in the war effort. We have as yet given them no sign that we want their help in the peace effort.

We have already entered into far reaching political commitments at Moscow. Our American neighbors learned of these decisions solely through the press.

If we desire the collaboration of the other independent nations of the Western Hemisphere in our endeavor to create a better world, we must deal with them as partners in that greatest of all enterprises. We cannot take their support for granted.

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Name Commission To Direct Police Dept. at Lethbridge

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 8.—(CP)—Establishment of a new five-man commission to direct the work of the city police force was authorized in a bylaw given three readings and passed unanimously by city council Monday night.

Council accepted the resignation of A. L. Nicholls, until recently chairman of the police commission, as from Nov. 25, and that of Chief of Police T. H. Nicholls effective at end of year. Nicholls' successor is to be appointed by the new commission.

The bylaw declares members of the new five-man commission shall serve without compensation and that the city manager shall, ex officio, be one of the five members. Other members are W. M. Harris, J. W. Daley, George B. Davies and Councillor Arthur Barnsley.

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Food Ration Coupons Now Valid

Preserves—Coupons D8 and D9 valid tomorrow.
Meat—Pair coupons No. 29 valid tomorrow.
Sugar—Coupons No. 21-22, valid tomorrow.
Canning Sugar—Coupons valid until further notice.
Tea or Coffee—Pair coupons, No. 22-23, now valid.
Butter—Pair of coupons, No. 40-41, valid tomorrow.

May Institute Alberta Vocational Training Program

Educational Departments Four Western Provinces Represented at Parley

There is some hope that under dominion and provincial jurisdiction, a vocational training program may be instituted in Alberta in 1944, Hon. Solon E. Low, minister of education, said in Edmonton Wednesday.

Mr. Low has just returned from Calgary, where vocational training was chief topic of discussion at a conference held between representatives and officers of educational departments of the four western provinces.

Chairman at the conference was Dr. G. Fred McNally, deputy minister of education. Attending from Saskatchewan was Hon. H. Stain, education minister, and from Manitoba, Hon. Ivan Schultz, minister. British Columbia was represented by Col. A. Ferrie, an official of the education department.

Deputy ministers of the other two prairie governments were also in attendance.

Mr. Low said it had been proposed at the conference that the Dominion and provincial governments would share costs on some joint basis of the vocational training plan. He explained that the youth training program had been operated on this basis, and that as the vocational scheme came into being, the youth training plan would be dropped.

POST-WAR MEASURE

While it had been discussed largely as a post-war measure, the minister expressed hopes the vocational training program could be started in 1944.

The current teacher shortage was also under consideration and it was apparent Alberta was hardest pressed of the four provinces for teachers, said Mr. Low.

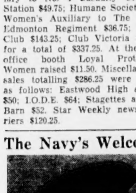
Stamp Bar Sales Week Total $635

The Stamp Bar at Jasper avenue and 101 street will be manned by the following organizations for the week commencing Dec. 8: 8 Bells Club, Mrs. W. H. Sterne, convener; Women's Auxiliary, 4th Armored Divisional Troops Company, Mrs. T. W. Cogland; Women's Volunteer Bureau, Miss L. Martin; Alberta Women's Service Corps, Mrs. F. Dunn; Navy Mothers Club, Mrs. E. Dunn; Women's Canadian Club, Mrs. G. H. McQuaig; Women's Musical Club, Miss Helen Porter.

Total sales of stamps here for the week Dec. 1-6 totalled $635.

At the stamp bar at Jasper ave. and 101 street sales, under supervision of the various groups, were recorded as follows: Women's Auxiliary to No. 4 Casualty Clearing Station $49.75; Humane Society $36; Women's Auxiliary to The Loyal Edmonton Regiment $36.75; Lions Club $143.25; Club Victoria $71.50, for a total of $337.25. At the post office booth Loyal Protestant Women raised $11.50. Miscellaneous sales totalling $286.25 were made as follows: Eastwood High school $50; I.O.D.E. $64; Stagettes at The Barn $52. Star Weekly news carriers $120.25.

The Navy's Welcome



ODS. CYRIL KEHOE

Like most members of the Armed Forces, Navy Jacks use the Service Huts on every possible occasion, and Cyril says, "it's really great to know that no matter where you go, off-duty enjoyment has been arranged and I know that all service personnel appreciate the work done by the War Services Council."

Everyone can support the Council's efforts by buying tickets on the $6,000 bungalow being given away on the 17th of December.

Old-Time Resident Dies at 70 Years

Long-time resident of this city, Joseph Melancthon Reeves Sr., at 9538 91 street died Tuesday. He was 70 years old.

Born in Senna, Iowa, he came to Edmonton 34 years ago where he was employed for many years by the C.P.R.

He is survived by his wife, three sons, Joseph of Ocean Falls, B.C., and Kenneth and Lawrence, both of Edmonton, and one daughter, Mrs. J. T. Lowe of Edmonton.

A funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday from Hainstock's funeral chapel. The Rev. W. N. Nainby will officiate and burial will be in Mount Pleasant cemetery. Hainstock's funeral chapel is in charge of arrangements.

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Apiarist to Speak

A showing of the film "The Realm of the Honey Bee" will be given tonight by the provincial apiarist, W. G. LeMaistre, at 8 o'clock at an open meeting of the Edmonton and District Beekeepers' Association, at No. 2 fire hall, 104 Street. A report will also be made on the Alberta Beekeepers' convention which was held in Calgary last Friday.

I Saw Today

R. W. ELLIS

walking south on 107 street with a friend;

AND

Jenny Wilson entering the McLeod building in the early hours of the business day; Arnold Tayler in the central section of the city; Ruby Farrell walking west on the main boulevard from the eastern section of the city; Jimmy Stevenson exchanging greetings with a friend near Jasper and 100 street; Mrs. Norman Taylor smiling at a friend on 103 street; C. M. Byar in conference with a friend on the main stem.

Legion Plans Welcome Troops Returning Here

Alberta servicemen and women returning from overseas will be systematically and warmly welcomed home from now on if plans of the Canadian Legion, now being drawn up, are completed.

Secretary-Manager W. J. Williams of the Edmonton branch of the Legion, left for Calgary Tuesday night for a conference with legion war services officials and others on arrangements for welcoming men and women back from service overseas at all main centres of the province.

Recently several wounded men, arriving back from service at the front in Sicily and Italy, were somewhat critical of arrangements for their arrival at Calgary.

The Alberta receptions were said to be in sharp contrast to those at other Canadian centres through which their train passed.

It is expected that an Edmonton committee will be set up for welcoming returning servicemen and women.

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BBC Official on Visit to This City

Studying the broadcasting set-up in Canada S. De Lotbiniere, British Broadcasting Corporation, London, arrived here Wednesday in the course of a trans-Canada tour.

He will remain here two days, and will confer with newspaper and radio executives. On completion of his survey in the city he will leave for the Pacific coast.

Mr. De Lotbiniere, who is the tallest man in the Empire's broadcasting services—he is six feet eight inches in height—recently was appointed Canadian representative of the British Broadcasting Corporation, and will make his headquarters at Toronto.

A former Canadian he is making his first tour of Canada since his appointment. His grandfather, Sir Henry De Lotbiniere, was a former lieutenant-governor of British Columbia.

American Women's Service Club Completes First Year Will Carry On Activities

Concluding a year of many and varied service activities for service men and civilian contractor employees in Canada and Alaska, the American Women's Service Club announced Wednesday that it stands ready to continue its efforts for as long as necessary.

"The future of the American Women's Service Club is inextricably tied up with the trends and tides of the war," Mrs. J. S. Belair, president of the club said, in her first annual report.

"No one can say how long it will exist or what services it may be called upon to render the men who are engaged in the struggle to maintain the freedom of the American and Canadian mainland but in the equally titanic struggle to carve out of the north country a toe-hold for a new and rich frontier," she said.

Activities of the American Women Service Club have been summarized by Mrs. J. S. Belair, president, in the first annual report recently forwarded to the membership.

The club is composed of wives of servicemen and civilian contractor employees in Canada and Alaska. It was organized as a result of a suggestion made at a tea given in November 1942, for American women in Edmonton at the home of Mrs. W. A. Griesbach at which Mrs. John Michaels and Mrs. L. H. Cobbledick were co-hostesses.

The undertaking of the club was to assist in the Red Cross canvass during which the members solicited American firms and branches of the armed forces. Funds collected in the north were turned over directly to the Canadian Red Cross local branches but in the Edmonton area members raised $10,825 for the Canadian Red Cross and $2,260 for the American Red Cross.

ASSISTED OTHER CLUBS

In May the club assisted in the formation of the Yukon Service Organization which is made up of American business girls working in Edmonton. The activities of the club have been centred around several standing committees. The magazine committee collects old magazines and new ones donated by Mike's Newsstand, wrapping them weekly for shipment to various army and civilian camps and stations in Canada and Alaska. The committee is assisted by the Yankee Service Organization. The members of the hospital visiting committee visit patients in local hospitals taking them magazines, cigarettes, flowers and food, and perform small favors such as shipping and letter writing.

The snack bar at the American Red Cross Recreation Centre was equipped by the club and members assisted by the Yankee Service Organization staff the bar daily. Refreshments and cigarettes are served free to men and women of the armed forces of all the United Nations.

One of the major projects of the organization handled by the service committee is the baking and shipping of from 125 to 150 dozen home made cookies weekly by air to various service units in Canada and Alaska. The committee members have just finished making and shipping in Christmas wrappings a fruit cake to troops in the Aleutians and more than 200 to troops in Canada and Alaska.

Other activities are the sewing committee which makes various items for sale, principally to members, at the social dressings committee which folds surgical dressings once a week at the Station Hospital of the Northwest Service Command.

VARIOUS ACTIVITIES

Funds for maintaining club activities are raised from dues, proceeds of dances, and the sale of items by the sewing committee, donations, and various other means. The club has co-operated with the Canadian Navy League, filling 25 ditty bags, the Canadian Red Cross Superfluity Shop and the Army-Navy-Wings Club. Club members man the Stamp Bar one day a month to sell Canadian War Stamps.

GIVES THANKS

In thanking the members for their assistance during the past year, Mrs. Belair said:

"The future of the American Women's Service Club is inextricably tied up with the trends and tides of the war. No one can say how long it will exist or what services it may be called upon to render the men who are engaged not only in the struggle to maintain the freedom of the American and Canadian mainland, but in the equally titanic struggle to carve out of the north country a toe-hold for a new and rich frontier."

A-R-O-U-N-D THE TOWN

The regular monthly meeting of the Edmonton branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada heard Donald D. Mack last night at the Macdonald hotel on the subject of "Elements of Design of Family Aircraft." Mr. Dick was awarded the Webb memorial prize at the University of Alberta for his paper on this subject. He was introduced to the meeting by C. W. Carey, chairman, and thanked on behalf of the membership by E. Nelson.

Saturday the length of the Second Great War will equal that of the First Great War. The First Great War started Aug. 4, 1914 and ended Nov. 11, 1918. The Second Great War started Sept. 3, 1939. For some weeks before the Armistice of 1918, the Canadian army was mobilizing under the might of an Allied attack on the Western front. The German home front was torn with revolt and the Kaiser's throne was tottering. Plans have been made for a three-sided attack on Germany, and utter destruction has been promised that country by the "Big Three" of the Allied nations.

Canadian Women's Army Corps personnel will shortly receive trades training as wireless operators and will be employed at fixed wireless stations, according to word received from national defence headquarters. Commencing immediately 20 candidates each month will be allotted vacancies for this course at the Canadian Army Signals Training Centre at Barrefield, Ontario. Selectees for this comprehensive training are required to fulfill certain conditions—they must be under 41 years, possess a sense of rhythm, manual dexterity, and must have Grade 10 education.

National defence headquarters has issued new instructions to Canadian Army personnel stationed in Canada, desiring to forward personal family mail to relatives, other than prisoners of war, in enemy or enemy occupied countries. In future, men and women in the Army will communicate with their correspondents through the Red Cross personal postal message scheme or the facilities of Messrs. Thomas Cook & Son, Ltd. No attempts should be made to forward messages by any other means. Red Cross personal postal messages are sent on special forms and may be obtained at any post office. They must not exceed 25 words and be of strictly personal nature.

Providing conditions warrant, officers of the Canadian Army who become prisoners of war or are interned by a neutral power may be confirmed in the acting rank held at the time of capture or internment, national defence headquarters announced today. All recommendations for promotions made prior to detention shall not be cancelled and if the circumstances allow, receive the same consideration as if the officer was not in a prisoner of war or internment camp. Officers will not be eligible for promotion during detention if not holding an acting rank or previously recommended for promotion. Consideration may be given to the restoration of seniority within their corps or units if prisoners of war or internees effect their escape or are released and return to their headquarters.

John Turner, president of the Canadian Corps Association, who held a regular meeting of the organization Tuesday night that a membership drive now is under way.

Corps Begins Preparations For Election

Waiving constitutional rules for the first time in order that a lively "democratic" election may be held, membership of the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Corps Association, Tuesday night appointed a nominating committee in preparation for annual election of officers in February.

Francis Woodfine was chosen head of the committee, which must present names of nominees to the membership on or before Jan. 22.

W. Duke heads the Corps Troops section of the committee and the divisional representatives chosen on the committee are as follows:

William "Scotty" Lang, first division; F. C. Butterworth, second division; Norman Campbell, third division; Col. L. O. Svendsen, fourth division.

The constitution calls for nomination of officers in January.

ELECTIONS "TOO TAME"

Before the nominating committee was chosen, it was explained that elections for officers have, in recent years, been far too tame, with too many offices going by acclamation. All Corps members were urged to set an example this year by making the choosing of officers a carefully considered affair in which every member has a part.

President John Turner noted that the Canadian Legion is now engaged in a membership drive in this province. He wished the Legion all the success in the world, heaping praise on the sister ex-service organization for the fine results it has been obtaining lately, through pressure exerted on behalf of service men and women.

He recalled that Provincial President S. Carl Heckbert of the Legion stated in an address here Monday that all ex-servicemen should belong either to the Legion or other organizations of war veterans.

URGES ADVERTISING

"I think we should advertise, in the papers urging all ex-servicemen to join one organization or another," said Mr. Turner, adding that:

"We read each day about something being accomplished. There was the case of increased clothing allowances and the railway fares."

After the membership listened to several stirring selections from the band of the 2nd Bn. of The Loyal Edmonton Regiment, President Turner made a presentation to Bandmaster Sgt. Graydon Tipp on behalf of the membership.

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The Inquiring Reporter

THE QUESTION

How are you greeting along with your Christmas shopping?

THE ANSWERS

HELEN WARDEN, stenographer: I have just started. I always plan away ahead what I'm going to buy, but then I never can find anything. So I become the typical shopper you see downtown the day before Christmas, rushing around loaded down with parcels, and really getting nowhere.

MARGUERITE BARKER, clerk: Mine's all done but for two items. I do shopping for the whole family in my lunch time, and started on Christmas gifts away back in October. At the end of the week, I'll be all done, thank goodness. No rush crowds for me.

MAUREEN PALMER, secretary: I started in yesterday, and think I'll get it all done pretty well. I think it's going to be pretty well rushed up town this year, and I don't want to get caught in the last-minute rush.

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Police Are Called In Bill Argument

City police Tuesday night advised five customers of George Anton, 109 avenue and 101 street, to pay a bill of $1.25 and then take up the matter with the price control board.

Authorities were called to the store by the proprietor, after the customers, three men and two women, refused to pay a bill of $1.25 for three bottles of orange crush, and one dish of ice cream. An argument started.

Anton, a police report stated, explained that the charge was made for booth service.

Presides

American Red Cross Centre Hums With Christmas Activity

Christmas Shopping Service Inc., would be an appropriate name for the American Red Cross Centre in Edmonton at the present time.

For the American Red Cross has taken on the job of wrapping, censoring and mailing Christmas gifts to the folks back home from American and other Allied servicemen stationed in Edmonton and the Northwest. And in addition to that, the staff personnel at Red Cross headquarters has taken on the soul-harrowing task of selecting and purchasing gifts for "Mom," "Dad" or the "Girl Friend" back home.

Officials at the Red Cross headquarters said Wednesday they have wrapped and mailed hundreds of gifts so far.

"We hope the biggest rush is over now, as most servicemen have mailed their gifts early, as a result of official warnings against late mailing," an official said.

Because of regulations all gift packages of American service men going to points in the U.S. must be censored. The Red Cross has also taken on this job.

Gifts show a heavy trend toward things indemic of the great northwest, ranging all the way from parkas for babies to fancy pillow slips, embroidered with Alaska Highway designs.

Fur slippers are the favorite gift.

Many letters come from men stationed along the highway requesting certain purchases of gifts.

The present for "Mother" is the big perplexing problem. It always must be the very best.

"What'll I get Mom?" is always the big question asked by the young soldier or airman, Red Cross workers state.

SWAMPED WITH REQUESTS

The Misses Tena Gloeckler, Jeannette Smith and Evelyn Smith are three Red Cross workers who have been literally swamped with shopping requests.

The American Red Cross Centre is also taking a toll on the chin. The floor just won't stay clean, with wrapping paper, Christmas seals and the like all over the place.

The Red Cross supplies heavy wrapping paper and fancy Christmas paper free of charge.

It's a great occasion all right but the weary workers are glad Christmas comes but once a year.

Brigade Commander Is Inspecting Troops

Col. R. Knight, brigade commander of the 41st Reserve Brigade Group, is in Edmonton conducting a periodic inspection of Reserve Army units training here.

Inspections are of an informal nature.

Col. Knight is expected to return to headquarters of M.M.D. 13 in Calgary Wednesday night.

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Sleeps in Garage

Someone who entered a 9th avenue resident's garage Monday night, did so because he wanted a place to sleep, it was believed by the householder, who reported the incident to city authorities Tuesday. The gas was burning in the building, he said, when he went to the garage in the morning. Nothing appeared to have been stolen.

McCauley Concert Proves Successful

The McCauley Concert Group of Edmonton is asking for donations to the special work of assisting the children's Christmas section of the Queen's Canadian fund.

A concert held by the group in the Westmount Community hall netted $12.60 for this purpose. Total sum received to date for the children's Christmas fund amounts to $111.60. Contributions may be sent to the McCauley Concert Group, 9545 109 avenue.

Next concert and old-time dance will be held at Winterburn hall, Friday, Dec. 10 at 8:30 p.m. This concert will be under the auspices of the Winterburn War Workers League.

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ELECTORS OF ALBERTA

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Wed., Dec. 8—CFCN (Calgary), 7:00 to 7:15 p.m. R. M. Edmunson, K.C.

Thurs., Dec. 9—CJCA (Edmonton), 12:10 to 12:15 noon, J. Percy Page, M.L.A.

—CFCN (Calgary), 7:15 to 7:30 p.m. J. C. Mahaffy, K.C., M.L.A.

Fri., Dec. 10—CFCN (Calgary), 7:30 to 7:45 p.m. J. J. Bowlen, M.L.A.

Mon., Dec. 13—CJCA (Edmonton), 6:54 to 6:59 p.m. J. Percy Page, M.L.A.

—CFCN (Calgary), 6:45 to 7:00 p.m. Mayor Andrew Davison, M.L.A.

These talks are in support of Wilfred J. Edgar, Independent candidate in the Red Deer byelection, and are sponsored by the Red Deer Constituency Association. Please check the times on your calendar—you will find it well worth your while.

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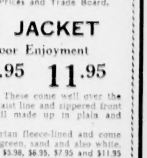
A very dainty softly tanned black calf Pump that your foot nestles into as, if they were made for each other. Priced .....



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DOROTHY DIX SAYS—

Respect for Mother Result of Upbringing

Failure to Teach Small Children and Youths Their Obligations to Parents Is Apt to Bring Trouble Later

DEAR MISS DIX: I have always been the type of mother who gave generously to her children, but expected nothing in return. I only wished them to be happy and have their love. My son is 30, married, and has one child. He is a good business man and has a large income, so it is natural that I should turn to him for help and service.

Recently my income has been shot to pieces and I have had to ask for some help from him to tide me over, but always with the assurance that he would be paid back. He does not have to support me and I hope never will, but I am too old to get a job. I have not been well and must have assistance from someone. It is asking too much of him to help me in time of need, or should I turn to an outsider?

The situation has made a strained feeling between us. He treats me as though I were a client and I miss the human interest in me he once had. What should I do?

MOTHER.

Answer: Surely you must misjudge your son, for it is hard to conceive of a man who is so hardhearted and callous that he begrudges even lending his mother a few dollars when he is rich and prosperous and she is pressed for money. Any man of even ordinary decent, natural feelings would consider it a privilege to be able to help her and thus pay a small part of the debt of gratitude he owed her.

However, when mothers weep upon my shoulder and tell me of how disrespectful and even abusive their children are to them; of how their children neglect them and show them no appreciation or affection, I do not feel like mingling my tears with theirs. I want to tell them that they are just reaping as they have sown and that they are to blame far more than the children are.

For a mother writes her own price tag with her children and they treat her just exactly the way she has taught them to treat her. If she has put herself upon a pedestal, as long as they live they will bow down before her and do her reverence. But if she has made herself nothing but a doormat for them, they will kick her about and have a contempt for her.

Look about you and you will see that this is one of the rules in human conduct to which there is no exception. It is so true that it has passed into a proverb that selfish mothers have unselfish children, and that the more a mother sacrifices herself for her children the less they think of her.

It is the mother who dresses herself up and looks pretty whose children are proud of her. It is the mother who goes dowdy that her children may have finery whose children are ashamed of her.

And it is perfectly logical. Babies have no high ethical standards. They are little savages who have to be taught the amenities of life. They only give what is demanded of them. If their mothers ask no return for all they do for them, they feel that they have no duties nor obligations to them.

The child who is never permitted to talk back to Mother when it is little doesn't insult her when he is grown. The child who has been taught from his infancy up to help Mother with her chores, to save his money to give her little treats, to carry her bundles, always feels he has a responsibility to her, and that he must look after her and make things as pleasant as possible for her. Whether children look up to their mothers or down upon them depends upon the way they were trained. You can't cultivate selfishness in a child for twenty years and then have him turn out an altruist.

PETS

DEAR DOROTHY DIX: What do you think of children and pets? Don't you think that parents are often unintentionally cruel to youngster when he comes home with a kitten or puppy, only to be told to get rid of it immediately? My young son has been reared with a dog and two cats to which he is devoted, as well as to all animals that the sees. Having been taught to be kind and gentle with them and never to take their toys and food from them, he not only obeys these rules but plays with other children with the knowledge that their possessions are also not to be snatched.

I think that their four-legged companions play a valuable part in the development of the characters of children.

J.B.S.

ANSWER: I agree with you a hundred per cent. Epecially do I think that any child who has not had the privilege of growing up with a dog has not only missed one of the best sources of earthly happiness, but has had his early education neglected. For a dog is the finest exponent of many of our major virtues, such as loyalty, faithfulness, patience, and the love that forgives ill-treatment and licks the hand that strikes it.

Certainly there is some sort of occult affinity between little boys and dogs that you must have noticed if you have ever watched Tommy and Towser with their heads together and an expression of perfect peace and contentment upon their faces. A kind of communion that had no need of words was going on between them, and the boy, at least was the better for it. No boy who has ever loved his dog grows up into being the kind of man who is cruel to weaker and defenseless creatures, and who is hard and callous in his feelings.

Of course, pets are troublesome. They track in mud and are not regardful of satin cushions, but they mean so much in the lives of the children who get more pleasure out of a mangy cat or dog than they do out of the finest mechanical present that parents should be willing to make the sacrifice of putting up with them. A child without a dog is like the Scotsman who said that he felt so naked when he didn't have a dog at his heels.

SELLS YOUTH

DEAR MISS DIX: I am a girl of 23. A rich old man of 73 wants to marry me. Of course, I don't love him, but he would leave me plenty of money when he died.

WORRIED.

ANSWER: If you are for sale, that is probably as good an offer as you will get and all that you are worth. But it always seems to me that the girl who sells her youth and love and romance and the joy of living for the sake of being left a rich widow, when her old husband dies, makes a sorry bargain.

Don't kid yourself into thinking you will be an old man's darling. You will be his slave and spend your time nursing his rheumatism, instead of stepping out into the bright lights.

Bulletin Patterns

Two Styles In One

This versatile dress may be made up as a becoming shirtwaister or as a frock to wear with snowy dickey. The dickey, in itself, makes a smart gift! Pattern 4603 is lovely in a dark rayon crepe, smart, too, in cotton. There's a Sew Chart included for easy sewing.

Pattern 4603 is available in women's sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Size 36 takes 3¼ yards 35-inch fabric.

Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this pattern. Write plainly size, name, address, style number.

Send your order to Pattern Dept., The Edmonton Bulletin, 60 Front St. W., Toronto, Ont.

Please allow a week or ten days for delivery.

Points for Parents

By EDYTH THOMAS WALLACE

Father: "John isn't getting enough sleep but he doesn't want to give up his part-time job He and I would like to talk over some possible readjustment of his school work with you."

Father: "This note says you're not doing good work at school."
Mother: "And I'm tired of pulling you out of bed every day."
Son: "I don't care. I won't give up my job."

The teen-ager who works part-time while attending school needs help from both home and school more than he needs criticism.

War Kitchen

By GAYNOR MADDOX

There's a holiday touch to breakfasts that have hot muffins and jam or jelly. Better get up a little earlier, just for the satisfaction of seeing the family's excitement over them.

WHEAT GERM MUFFINS

(Makes one dozen muffins)

One and one-third cups sifted all-purpose enriched flour, 2/3 cup wheat germ, 2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, ¼ cup melted shortening.

Sift dry ingredients together. Combine slightly beaten egg, milk and melted shortening. Pour liquids into dry ingredients, stirring only enough to mix well. Fill well-greased and flowered muffin tins two-thirds full and bake for 18-20 minutes in 425 degree oven.

FLAKED COFFEE CAKE

One and one-half cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 tablespoons sugar, 4 tablespoons shortening, 1 egg, ¾ cup milk, 1½ cups wheat flakes, 2 tablespoons butter, ¼ cup brown sugar.

Sift together flour, baking powder, salt and sugar; cut in shortening. Beat egg; add milk. Add to flour mixture, stirring just enough to dampen. Add 1 cup wheat flakes. Turn into greased 9-inch baking pan. Melt butter; blend with brown sugar and remaining wheat flakes. Sprinkle over dough. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) 25 minutes. Serve hot.

WHOLE BRAN MUFFINS

(Makes one dozen muffins)

Three-quarters cup milk, 1 cup whole bran shreds, 1 cup sifted flour, 3½ teaspoons combination baking powder, ¼ teaspoon salt, 3 tablespoons sugar, 1 egg, well beaten, 3 tablespoons melted butter or other shortening.

Pour milk over bran and let stand 5 minutes. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, salt, sugar, and sift again. Add egg and butter or shortening to bran mixture and mix well. Add flour, beating only enough to dampen all flour. Bake in greased muffin pans in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 25 to 30 minutes.

Tomorrow's Menu

(Eat the Basic 7 Every Day)

Breakfast: Tomato and lemon juice, ready-to-eat cereal, flaked coffee cake, butter, grape jelly, coffee, milk for children.

Luncheon: Oyster stew or corn chowder, salted crackers, raw carrot sticks, chocolate brownies made with white and soya flour, fresh fruit, tea, milk for children.

Dinner: Beef liver and vegetable stew, maked potatoes, spinach, molded cranberry sauce, enriched bread, butter, grapefruit and orange cup, sliced flaked coffee cake, coffee, milk for children.

The Magic Touch

Beautiful bedspreads add a magic touch to the bedroom . . . are a silent welcome in a guest room. Embroider this airy basket-of-flowers motif to match your color scheme. Easy stitches, a treat for your needle. Pattern 7641 contains a transfer pattern of 8 motifs ranging from ¾x1 to 14x17 inches; stitches; list of materials.

To obtain this pattern send twenty cents in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) to Household Arts Dept., The Edmonton Bulletin, 60 Front St. W., Toronto, Ont. Write plainly name, address, pattern number.

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Here's Welcome Relief From
ACUTE CATARRH
Put a few drops of Va-tro-nol up each nostril and *feel* it go to work right where catarrh misery is . . . bringing quick, soothing relief from miseries.
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Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

It's an embarrassing question to ask, but it needs to be asked, "Do you enjoy your children?"

Many a mother, who accepts the warm bundle put in her arms at the hospital, feels an overwhelming sense of her great responsibilities. From that moment the baby is a duty rather than a pleasure. So many formulas to be made. So many baths to be given. So many diapers to be washed. The chores, like the trees, obscure the forest that is the child. She is unable, weighted with her cares and responsibilities to respond joyfully to the expanding personality of her baby.

There are mothers who are actually afraid of their children. If the baby cries they are fearful that to pick it up and soothe it will make the baby spoiled.

If the baby continues to cry hard they worry about the possibility of rupture. They are never comfortable when alone with the child because they are then compelled to use their own judgment and they are fearful of the consequences of it.

Many a mother cannot play well with her children though she may be a conscientious and competent nursemaid to them. They are always clean and well-fed. They have their naps on time and their daily airings. But when the children want to play the mother is unable to be child-like with them. The baby may have one of these playful moods in the middle of the night and the mother cannot even smile for fear she may take her seriously and disrupt his good rest—and hers.

When the child begins to be at the urchin age and is more often crusted with dirt than immaculate, she can't enjoy him in this state. She is ever-ready to haul him to the bath tub and turn him into her kissable, picture-baby again.

Second and third children have more fun with their parents than first children, who are the victims of too much regimentation, too much parental fear and undeveloped judgment. By the time the second child comes along a mother has discovered that minor deviations in routine do not ruin the baby and that one must enjoy children not at stated hours, but when the child is ready for play.

This attitude of good nature, this capacity for flexibility will subtract enormously from the work of baby care and develop a precious cameraderie between mother and child that is beyond price.

Our leaflet on, "First Aid for Common Emergencies," may be kept in the bathroom cabinet to consult when needed. It may be had by sending a 4-cent stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Myrtle Mayer Eldred in care of this newspaper.

Minute Make-Ups

It's coming—Christmas Day! So start marking your calendar. One Minute out to plan to be beautiful on Christmas Day, through makeup and by making someone else happy! Give love and cheer and you'll receive it in return. You needn't wrap gifts like that, they come from the heart!

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OPENS TOMORROW! CAPITOL
Here's A Thrill, New, Gay! A Dance-filled Holiday!
Doors 12:45
Full Shows 1, 3, 5, 7, 9
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"MY SHINING HOUR" "I'VE GOT A LOT IN COMMON WITH YOU" "ONE FOR MY BABY"
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RIALTO
TODAY & THURS. 2 ACE HITS
WHAT HAPPENS TO HITLER'S WOMEN?
DID A WOMAN'S FURY END THE FUEHRER?
THE STRANGE DEATH OF ADOLF HITLER
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BILLY GILBERT ★ FRANK FAY BONNIE BAKER in "Spotlight Scandals" with BUTCH and BUDDY THE RADIO ROGUES HARRY LANGDON IRIS ADRIAN
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Added "UNIVERSAL NEWS"

GEM
Johnny Mack Brown in "Boss of Hang Town Mesa"
—Also—
"Orphans of the North"

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1-3 p.m. 20c — Tax Included
TODAY THRU FRIDAY
Stirring, Timely Adventure
JOHN GARFIELD in "Air Force"
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ENDS TONIGHT "The Human Comedy" "Fall In"
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Last 2 Days TODAY AND THURSDAY
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BEHIND THE RISING SUN
Based on the Book by James R Young
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Two Golden Voices Blended in Songs and Laughter
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EVERY WEDNESDAY
ALAN YOUNG
CJCA 7:30 p.m.
Buckingham CIGARETTE PROGRAM

BOOTS

Aimes Club Annual Tea

Mrs. P. J. Barbeau opened her home on Sunday afternoon for the annual Les Bonnes Amies club Christmas tea. One hundred and fifty guests called during the afternoon and were welcomed by the president, Mlle. S. Barbeau, assisted by Mlle. B. Mercier, honorary president, Mlle. T. Keroack, vice president, and Mlle. Muriel McKinnon, convener.

The tea table was set with a hand made white lace cloth, centred with a bowl of pastel baby 'mums and lighted by tall ivory tapers. Those pouring tea included Mrs. F. R. Munshaw, Mrs. John Leahy, of Washington, D.C., Mme. D. Donin, Mme. Charles Lefebvre, Mme. G. Paradis, Mme. S. Bonin-Despins, Mme. L. Roy, Mme. A. Keroack, Mme. V. Potvin and Mme. J. Lambert.

Members of the club assisted with the serving. Proceeds will be used for local Christmas charities.

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Miss F. Teets Entertains for Pupils, Parents

Miss Florence Jane Teets entertained for her senior pupils and their parents at a musical evening held recently.

Mrs. James Kelso presented certificates from the Toronto Conservatory of Music to successful students. Miss Beryl MacLeod received her A.T.C.M. diploma.

The students presented Miss Teets with a bouquet of golden chrysanthemums.

A discussion on the lives of Berlioz, Schumann and Liszt was held by the history students. Those taking part in the program were Miss Lydia Brulhart, Miss Peggy Northey, Gorden Heath, Miss Biddy Carr, Miss Joyce Farrell, Miss Lois Kennedy, Miss Margaret Findlay, Miss Dorothy Livingstone, Miss Maxine Clayton, Miss Lois Archer, Billy Batter, Miss Marjorie Owen, Miss Evelyn Hornby, Miss Audry Willson, Msis Pauline Arnett, Miss Mary Clements, Miss Jean Kelso and Miss Norma Brown.

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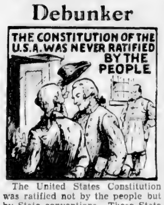

The United States Constitution was ratified not by the people but by State conventions. These State conventions did not actually represent the people, although they were said to have been "elected by the people." The truth is that only a small part of the people—the upper propertied class—could vote for the delegates to the State conventions. In Philadelphia only one in every sixteen people could vote. The propertied class, being creditors, were in favor of the Constitution; the poor were against it. The Constitution was ratified by this upper class only.

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500 Said Killed In Turkey 'Quake

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The BBC said in a broadcast by United States government monitors last night that 550 persons were killed and 12 villages destroyed in a new earthquake in central Turkey. An earthquake Nov. 27 in north central Turkey killed 2,919 persons and destroyed 3,321 buildings.

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Die in Fire

BUTLER, Ga., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Excitedly following their father back into a burning home, six-year-old Bobby Bell and his four-year-old sister, Nita, were burned to death early yesterday when fire destroyed the residence, police reported.

THE BRITISH PRINCESSES

Princess Elizabeth wore her first fur coat, a soft gray squirrel, when she accompanied the King and Queen and Princess Margaret to see the U.S. service show, "This Is the Army," in London recently.

Broadway, Times Square Becomes Thoroughfare Allied Servicemen

By MARGUERITE YOUNG

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—War has turned Broadway into one long, hectic Midway of the United Nations.

"Every night is Saturday night and Saturday is New Year's Eve," say New Yorkers. They come out by thousands just to merge awhile with the pleasure-bent throng that streams along the browned out Great White Way in all weather day and night.

Millions, 6,437,000 a week by latest count, arrive by plane, ship, train; and bee-line to Broadway's hotels, nightclubs, theatres, bistros. Uniformed Americans revel on their way to and from battlefronts all over the world, and among them flash the brighter warsuits of every Ally.

"Till we meet in Paris, Monsieur!" The waiter bows to French officers leaving a smart restaurant. At a fashionable bar a Polish gold braid and a U.S. Wave toast a British pilot who hung up a crimson poster here, calling, "Freedom is in peril. Defend it with all your might." A Marine wearing the Navy cross gets a wild ovation from 500 dancers, champagne from a rubber manufacturer at the next table. Danish sailors give their trolley seats to Manhattan girls; they smile and return the V salute. Nightlife is faster, fuller, freer than Broadway ever dreamed of before, and to its vast spreading excitment and variety is added a new, realistic dream of danger and fraternity.

RATIONING HANDICAPS

The concensus on liquor consumption: up about 40 per cent.

Swank clubs on the rim of Broadway are hard put, juggling meat points and liquor quotas, to take care of their prewar clientele, especially those home on furlough.

"You spend your time romancing your supply dealers and your help instead of customers," sighs owner Sherman Billingsley at the Stork Club.

Civilians spill over the sidewalk onto the street outside of Copacabana. They offer the head waiter nylon stockings, cases of whiskey, a $300 tip for a table. At Twenty-One, officers drop their air luggage and pick up mail; the manager keeps touch with them in the Aleutians, Tunisia, the South Seas, and makes room when they come home to the open fire and the chatter of beautiful women.

Street crowds mosey along. Even Manhattanites are sauntering. All are held back as soldier meets girl in front of movie and bar and he asks, "Going anywhere?" and she replies, "Not particularly; where you from?" and off they go together. Shore patrolmen, M.P.'s, volunteer citizen patrols, help traffic and other cops' reaching a total of 100 in a block at times, watching particularly for juveniles. At sight of the police, girls scatter; tipsy youths straighten up.

Manager R. K. Christenberry looks out for soldiers on the Astor Roof—writes to them and they later send their thanks from foxholes. Once two wrote asking special attention for their sweethearts here for their simultaneous birthdays, and Christenberry hunted up the girls and gave the party for them. At the Astor Bar, the Latin Quarter, the Hurricane, and Billy Rose's vast Diamond Horseshoe, indoor festivity hits high.

GIRLS OUTNUMBERED

Ecortless WAVES, SPARS, WACs and partnerless men attract the eye of the Horseshoe's Host Bob Hall. He points and ad libs: "Six young soldiers and no girl in sight—there is the evidence that Sherman was right." And again: "Look at that gal at the table over there—one with six men, now that isn't fair!" They rise, mix around the bar, rarely go home alone. There are tables of Russians, Chinese, Australians.

By day Broadway continues to be an open air ... carnival. The crowd swirls about free soft drink bars for soldiers. They get theatre and movie "comps" . . . Stroll by and into penny arcades with shooting galleries, automatic amusements, photographic booths, juke boxes, live turtles . . . Gypsy fortune tellers . . . Fruit-juice bars turning into bar-and-grills. All that is war growth.

Business is terrific. One movie house did a $5,415,000 gross last year, night spots do $20,000, even $35,000, a week. The theatre's flesh and fantasy hits attract millions . . . Variety calls some cheap, wet, but never says they won't do business.

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Calendar

Queen of Alberta Division 517 G.I.A., to B.L.E., meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 103 street, Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

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All Saints' W.A., meeting Thursday at 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

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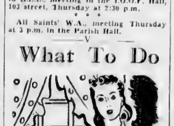
What To Do



If your budget is limited, and your time is not, why not make some clever Christmas gifts?

There are so many accessories these days that can be hand made. They are so acceptable too—truly welcome gifts.

Drawstring bags of felt, appliqued with felt flowers, clever bonnet and mittens to match can be made easily, and embroidered in contrasting colors.

Some of the nicest and most welcome gifts come out of your kitchen. Home made cookies, fruit cake, stuffed dates or plum puddings are a real treat for your friends.

For children there are innumerable stuffed toys to sew and embroider. Knitted garments are welcome, and easy to make too.

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The British victories of May, 1943 in Africa, were achieved 12,000 miles by sea from the main base in the British Isles.

Mary Ainslie Weds Airman

At a special service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church Thursday evening, Miss Mary Ainslie pledged marriage vows with Sgt. Donald Bain, R.C.A.F. The Rev. Douglas Stewart officiated.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ainslie, and Sgt. Bain is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bain, all of Edmonton.

In the absence of her father, the bride was given in marriage by her eldest brothr, Alex Ainslie. She wore a slipper length gown of white satin, fashioned on long torso lines, with sweetheart neckline and full skirt. Her full length veil of white embroidered tulle was caught to her head in a halo arrangement of orange blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of deep red roses. Silver slippers and a gold locket, gift of the bridegroom, completed her ensemble.

Mrs. George Irving was her sister's matron-of-honor. She wore a formal gown of powder blue sheer, with short veil to match, held in place by white flowers. She carried a bouquet of deep pink carnations.

SECOND ATTENDANT

Miss Frances Bain, only sister of the bridegroom, was a second attendant. She wore a toe length gown of turquoise sheer, with small jacket to match. Her short veil was of a blue to tone, and she carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Best man was AC. Douglas Lemmon, R.C.A.F., and ushers were Andrew Ainslie and George Irving.

During the signing of the register, Miss Sadie McDonald sang "Because," and Mrs. O. Byers played the wedding music.

A reception to 50 guests was held at the Buffalo Hall, on 118 avenue. Mrs. Ainslie, receiving with the wedding party, wore an afternoon dress of olive green with shoulder corsage of Talisman roses. Mrs. Bain was smart in an ensemble of blue with accents of white, and corsage of Talisman roses.

The bride's table was set with a lace cloth, and centred by the three tired wedding cake flanked by tall red tapers.

Toast to the bride was proposed by Douglas Lemmon.

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Donations Given To War Funds By I.O.D.E.

Fort Edmonton Chapter, I.O.D.E., met in the Macdonald hotel Monday when authorization was given for additional donations of $200 for camp libraries for the Armed Forces; $25 for the Not Forgotten Fund; and $25 for Danish Relief Fund.

Framed pictures of Their Majesties will be placed in two community halls, through Mrs. T. J. Johnston, provincial convener of immigration and Canadianization.

War work convener, Mrs. D. G. Adams, reported that 42 articles have been completed. This included comforts knit for the armed forces and knitted clothing for bombed areas.

Reports were also presented by Mrs. J. G. Savage, ex-servicemen's convener; Mrs. A. A. Murray, Navy League convener; Mrs. F. E. Carlisle, educational secretary, and Mrs. A. E. Anderson, Empire study convener.

Mrs. R. C. Marshall, regent, presided at the meeting.

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McKenney On Bridge

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority

It isn't often that I get a chance to kibitz Mrs. McKenney at bridge, because she generally objects when I pull up a chair to watch—and the rules of the game permit players to refuse to have kibiazers. Under a new rule, however, if a kitbitzer buys a War Bond, a player cannot send him away; so I bought a bond, pulled up a chair and watched Mrs. McKenney play this hand. I could see both Mrs. McKenney's hand in the South and the West hand, and really thought the three no trump contract was due for a terrific set.

After winning the first trick, West shifted to the jack of clubs. Dummy's queen won and the

North: ♠ A 10 9 ♥ J 9 7 5 ♦ Q 8 4 ♣ A Q 6

West: ♠ 4 3 ♥ A K 10 ♦ A K 7 5 3 ♣ K J 10

East: ♠ Q 6 5 2 ♥ 8 6 4 3 2 ♦ None ♣ 9 7 3 2

South (Dealer) — Mrs. McKenney: ♠ K J 8 7 ♥ Q ♦ J 10 9 6 2 ♣ 8 5 4

Duplicate—None vul.

South	West	North	East
Pass	1 ♦	Double	1 ♥
1 ♠	3 ♥	Double	Pass
3 N. T.	Double	Redouble	Pass

Opening—♦ K. 8

queen of diamonds was returned. When West refused this, another diamond was led, West won, cashed the king of hearts and led back another club. This was won with dummy's ace, the ace of spades was cashed, and the ten-spot was successfully finessed. The nine of spades was then played, Mrs. McKenney overtook with the jack, cashed the king of spades and the two good diamonds, thus making three no trump doubled and redoubled.

If West had opened a club, he would have gained the timing on the hand and would have set the contract one trick. So buying the War Bond gave me not only a sound investment but a good bridge hand.

ACCESSORIES

Gay accessories in the sports mood, fashioned out of unusually original buttons, make a colorful buckle-and-ribbon decoration, with headband and cufflinks to match. Wear the buckle like a bow tie, or to top the pocket of a blouse or suit.

New Nurses Are Guests at Tea

Executive of the University Hospital Women's Auxiliary entertained at tea Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Fulton Gillespie, president. The affair was held in honor of the probation class of nurses at the hospital.

Miss Helen Peters, superintendent of nurses, received with the hostess. Other special guests included Mrs. Duke, assistant superintendent of nurses, Mrs. A. C. McGugan, wife of the superintendent of the hospital and Mrs. W. A. R. Kerr.

Mrs. W. W. Cross and Mrs. R. E. Staples presided at the tea table which was centred with a bowl of bronze and white chrysanthemums.

Mrs. N. E. Alexander and Mrs. C. W. Hurlburt were in charge of arrangements for the tea, and members of the executive served.

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Soroptomists Present Gifts

Soroptimist Club members held a supper meeting at the home of Mrs. Alice Brewer recently. The meeting took the form of a gift night, with members bringing presents which were arranged in a hamper for a blind lady. Miss Margaret Fraser and Dr. Effie Dunn were in charge of the hamper.

Mrs. M. Allen reported on ditty bags being filled for the merchant marine.

Members voted in favor of increasing their donation to the China Fund for Nurses in Training.

A monthly parcel of comforts is being sent to Nursing Sister Maxine Fuller of the No. 4 Casualty Clearing Station, [illegible]

Mrs. C. Melrose arranged a series of games for club members at the conclusion of the meeting. Mrs. Lennie McNeill, president, was in charge of the meeting.

The Personal Column

INVITATIONS have gone out for a military dance to be held in the officers' mess at the Prince of Wales Armory on Saturday, Dec. 11. This social event is being sponsored by Officers of the 41st Reserve Brigade Group in Edmonton, which includes all Reserve Army units in the city. A full orchestra will be in attendance and dancing will commence at 9:30. Arrangements are in the hands of a committee headed by Capt. T. W. Cogland, M.C., officer commanding the 4th (R) Armored Divisional Troops Company, R.C.A.S.C.

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Mrs. A. Hayward Smith of Dawson Creek and Wembley is in Calgary attending the Social Credit convention there. She will spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Anne Haszard, on her return from Calgary.

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Finance committee of the Mountglen Home and School Association will hold a card party and dance in the Westmount community hall Friday commencing at 8.30 p.m.

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MRS. KENNETH MACDONALD, 9932 105 street, will open her home Friday from 3 to 6 p.m. for the annual tea and sale of home cooking and sewing, held by the Connaught group of the All Saints' women's auxiliary. Those invited to pour tea include Mrs. W. F. Barfoot, Mrs. A. M. Trendell, Mrs. Vernon Barford and Mrs. W. W. Buxton. An invitation is extended to anyone wishing to attend.

MAJOR BRUCE MACDONALD will be in the city Thursday en route from Regina to Prince George, B.C. He will spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Macdonald.

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Radio Artificer Graham (Bud) Atkin, R.C.N.V.R., will return to the east coast Wednesday evening, after spending 18 days leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Merton Atkin.

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Mrs. Robert Belcher left for Calgary Wednesday to attend the opening, Thursday, of the new Col. Belcher hospital, erected in memory of her husband. She will be accompanied by her daughters and sons-in-law, Col. and Mrs. Hastings Mewburn and Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas.

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Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh left Wednesday to return to Vancouver, after spending a week here, guests of Mr. McIntosh's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIntosh.

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Men and women of the Navy, Army and Airforce are invited to a dance to be held Wednesday night in the Masonic Temple, when members of the [illegible] Century club will entertain. [illegible] numbers will be featured and Mrs. Bentley and a small orchestra will play for dancing. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Kay Montgomery, Mrs. W. G. Reid, Miss Ruth Bryant, Miss Mary Scullion and Miss Muriel Whitton.

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Mrs. V. W. Smith, 10017 107 street, will open her home Friday from 3 to 6 p.m. for a tea and sale of work and homecooking to be given by the First Auxiliary of First Presbyterian church. Mrs. A. W. MacBeth, the president, will receive with Mrs. Smith. Those invited to pour tea are Mrs. D. G. McQueen, Mrs. J. MacBeath Miller, Mrs. I. Hahn, Mrs. J. W. Stafford and Mrs. J. Michaels. Mrs. H. H. Hepburn, Mrs. A. Ratcliffe, and Mrs. W. M. Kerr will be in charge of the sewing table; Mrs. F. W. Milne and Mrs. R. Muir will look after the sale of home cooking. Mrs. G. Boothe and Miss C. Mackie will look after the dinning room.

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Announcement was made Wednesday of the engagement of Miss Dorothy Josephine Williams, only daughter of Mrs. H. E. Williams and the late Herbert Ernest Williams of Ministik, and Archie F. Dick of Edmonton, only son of A. S. Dick of High River, Alta. The marriage will take place on Dec. 16.

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Resigns War Job For Two Children

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—(AP)—A working mother who has launched 27 country-wide campaigns in the United States to persuade women to take war jobs is now resigning her own war job because she says lack of community services means "definite neglect of my two children."

Dorothy Ducas, who as chief of the magazine bureau of the United States office of war information inspired a rash of magazine covers and hundreds of articles extolling war-working women, said in an interview today that "to work to win the war but let children grow up as bad citizens to inherit the earth doesn't make sense."

"Women wouldn't need to neglect their children," she declared, "if the whole community felt it important to help women do war jobs. But the communities don't feel it important and do nothing to make it possible for women to work."

Social Credit Women Urged Establish True Democracy

Welcoming forty delegates to the sixth annual provincial convention of the Women's Auxiliaries of the Alberta Social Credit League, being held at the Palliser hotel in Calgary, Mrs. R. Maude McLean, president of the Calgary Council of Auxiliaries, urged the women to continue their work of "trying to establish a true democracy, politically and economically."

"We have demonstrated the ability of this country to raise money for destruction. Surely the same can be done for construction," Mrs. McLean declared.

Mrs. F. H. Soper of Athabasca, who replied to the welcome, referred to the convention as one of [illegible], pointing out that the women must carry the burden of enlightening the districts to [illegible].

Referring to the ideals of Canadian political parties, Mrs. Soper said that only social credit has inherited the policy of true democracy.

Mrs. Soper told delegates to fight C.C.F., describing the party as "[illegible]."

She urged the representatives to think and pray, and to lay down a plan of democracy that only the [illegible].

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F.D.R., Smuts Dine

CAIRO, Dec. 8.—(AP)—President Roosevelt dined Monday night with Field Marshal Jan Christiaan Smuts, prime minister of South Africa and a member of the British war cabinet. Smuts had arrived earlier in the day by plane from London.

My Day

BY ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

WASHINGTON.—From the point of view of general interest I am afraid that yesterday was a dull day. I saw a good many people, among them Mrs. Elen Woodward and Mrs. Elizabeth Conkey, the two women who were among our delegates to the U.N.R.R.A. conference in Atlantic City. They were both much impressed by the people from other nations with whom they worked, as well as by the work of our own committee, which met every morning to consider what the attitude of the United States representatives would be on the questions coming up for discussion in the various committees.

Last evening, Secretary and Mrs. Morgenthau, Mr. Frederick Delano, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Houghteling and Mrs. Warren Robbins, dined with me. We had the pleasure of seeing one of the series of films made by the army for use in our camps. This one is in two parts and is entitled "The Battle of Russia."

It reviews the history of Russia and shows the magnificent way in which Russia over and over again have defended their land. The Union of the Soviet Socialist Republics covers a very large area of the world's surface and 100 different languages are spoken by its 190,000,000 people.

In our country, people have a variety of intonations and peculiarities of expression, but we do speak one language. The fact that the Russians can show such unity and strength, and still speak 100 different languages, has shaken my faith a little in the efficacy of teaching all the peoples of the world one language in the interests of peace.

The treasury department has started a new campaign. At least it is a new one in this country, though I believe some of its phases have already been tried out in Great Britain. This campaign exploits a gentleman called "the squander bug." He is a money eating figure who eats up your dollars, instead of letting you put them into war bonds and stamps.

He is the enemy of the pocketbook. He is used to buying useless things now which you could go without. Every time you buy anything that isn't really useful or that you don't need, you are making scarce goods even scarcer. You are not saving the money which, at the end of the war, would make it possible for you to have the things which you need and want.

You are not planning for full employment and prevention of the disastrous spiral that can be brought about when we should be expanding the production of goods, but have no money with which to buy them. I suppose we had better ask the treasury department to give us all the reminders they can through "the squander bug," so that he will constantly be kept before us and we shall be saved from ourselves.

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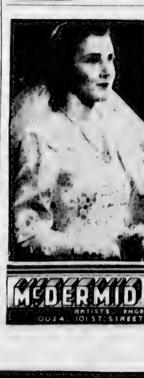

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Accused Won't Reveal Source Illicit Alcohol

Joseph Burkowski, commonly known as Joe Burke, alleged to be the "king pin" in a conspiracy to transport illicit liquor from Winnipeg to Edmonton, refused, during examination by J. W. McClung, K.C., crown prosecutor, to disclose the source of the supply of alcohol used in the blending of the illicit liquor allegedly supplied to three Edmontonians.

Burke was called as a witness for the crown in the preliminary hearing of James Van Alkin, Winnipeg, charged with conspiracy to transport liquor from Manitoba to Edmonton.

STRONG PROTEST

Vigorous protest against the questions which Burke was made by Neil D. Maclean, K.C., counsel for Burke and also for the accused Van Alkin. He submitted that the crown could not have summoned Burke as a witness in the case as he is also charged with the same offence.

He charged the crown had adopted unfair tactics in calling Burke, who had to come within the county of Edmonton to surrender to his bail. Magistrate H. L. Hawe, K.C., said that the crown could call him as a witness as he was within the jurisdiction of the court.

Mr. Maclean told the witness that he did not need to answer any question that would incriminate him.

Questioned regarding the source of supply of official seals of the Manitoba Liquor Commission Burke declined to reply.

At the outset of his examination application was made by Mr. McClung that Burke be given the protection of the Canada Evidence Act.

QUESTIONED ON MONEY

Burke, questioned concerning a $1,200 payment made to him by Fred Sawchuk, said he had been paid the money to hold for another party. He declined to name the party when questioned by Mr. McClung. The money he said may had been paid in connection with a liquor purchase.

He admitted mixing an alcohol shipment sent to Edmonton with distilled water, coloring and flavoring extract, but denied any knowledge of the source of the alcohol, or of its shipment from Winnipeg to Edmonton.

Following the completion of the Van Alkin preliminary hearing Burke was placed in the dock to answer to a charge of conspiracy to transport liquor to Edmonton from Winnipeg.

The first witness called was James Van Alkin who declined to answer any questions put to him concerning Burke's connection with the liquor shipments. He refused to admit he had participated in the mixing of alcohol shipped from Winnipeg, but said he did it for himself. He declined to answer when asked if he received any part of the $1,200 paid to Burke for this liquor.

The hearing is proceeding.

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10-Day Holiday Period at Christmas

Santa Claus jingled in and out of the legislature and the province's offices in the Legislative Buildings Wednesday. He didn't stop long, and few department officials can remember when he was last there, because a memo was left behind. It read:

"Christmas holidays ten days this year. December 23rd to January 3rd."

The ten-day holiday period will affect nearly 170,000 pupils of public schools in the province, department officials estimate. The holidays will be the first to fall under the Act, when under the new Operation of Schools (War) Act, Good Friday and Easter Monday only will be holidays.

Of course, the forthcoming session of the legislature could repeal the Act, should it be thought fit at the last session, and the old one-week holiday at Easter could be resumed. The Opposition Parties are advised not to hope too highly on this possibility—there has been no indication the Act will be repealed.

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Ask Compensation For Loss of Hogs

The United Farmers of Alberta executive at its meeting on Tuesday at Calgary, resolved to call upon the Dominion government to make available funds" to compensate farmers for the loss suffered from holding their hogs until they become overweight.

The meeting also resolved to seek re-enactment of legislation by the provincial government to prevent the purchase or lease of land for the duration of the war by "Hutterites and other pacifist groups" and to appeal to the Dominion government for legislation "preventing enemy aliens from leasing or purchasing land for the duration."

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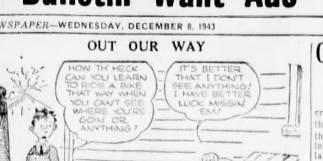

Bench and Bar Give Welcome To New Judge

Members of Alberta's bench and bar, provincial and civic dignitaries, and a large number of private citizens on Wednesday attended the induction ceremony of His Honor Judge Joseph Patrick McIsaac as a judge of the district court of Northern Alberta.

The oath of office was administered at the court house by His Honor Chief Justice Horace Harvey, who also admitted Judge McIsaac to the Alberta bar when he returned from overseas service at the conclusion of the Great War of 1914-1918.

Before administering the oath of office Chief Justice Harvey said that "In the course of the close association I have had with Judge McIsaac during the past three years on the Canadian Mobilization Board I am convinced that he has the qualities and experience that will make him a most useful member of the district court of Northern Alberta. Edmonton and Northern Alberta is to be congratulated in this appointment."

Representing the Law Society of Alberta and the Edmonton Bar Association, George H. Steer, K.C., bencher of the Law Society, expressed the good wishes of the barristers in the province to Judge McIsaac. He said "We are satisfied that he has the skill and knowledge that will ensure all the high traditions of the Bar." It is a matter of regret that a member of Dalhousie university—Judge McIsaac is a graduate of that university—is not present to express the pleasure of the bar on this appointment, but unfortunately W. S. Gray, K.C., president of the society, is ill.

WAS CLASS MATE

Mr. Steer referred to the presence of H. R. Miner, K.C., a classmate of Judge McIsaac at Dalhousie, and to Judge McIsaac's graduation from Dalhousie is the only requisite to attaining distinction in law.

He said that since coming to Edmonton Judge McIsaac has won a warm place in the affection of members of the bar. "We sincerely hope you will be spared for many years to enjoy the honor to which you have been elevated today," Mr. Steer concluded.

EXPRESSES THANKS

Judge McIsaac, thanking the members of the bar and bench, said that it had been his good fortune and honor for many years to know many of the members of the bar in Edmonton, and his association with them has been both instructive and enjoyable. In that association I have gained a knowledge of the skill and integrity of the members, and I trust that the cordial relations that have existed during my practising days will be continued," he said.

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Issue 14 Permits For New Building

Fourteen building permits totaling $403,750 were issued by the city building department since Dec. 4. Four of the permits, amounting to $319,000 were for improvements at the city airport that have been completed.

A permit for $42,000 was issued to the Northern Alberta Railways for the erection of a superstructure for a repair shop at the Boyle Street yards. The Canadian National Railways obtained a permit to erect a frame yard office at a cost of $24,000.

Permits for the erection of homes were issued to: Mrs. Tillie Prokopiuk, 1706 124 street, $2,000; A. L. Wilkin, 10425 133 street, $3,950; A. R. Muttart, 10444 131 street, $4,000; Joseph F. Wilson, 11209 71 street, $1,000; J. O. McGuire, 11824 135 street, $1,000; A. R. Kirkwood, 11042 76 street, $3,000; and Mrs. Grace Heighington, 12039 103 street, $2,800.

$2,000,000 in Treasury Bills Renewed a Year

Two government of Alberta treasury bills, for $2,000,000 and held by the Dominion of Canada, have been renewed for a further period of one year by the Hon. J. G. Hisley, Dominion finance minister, it was announced Wednesday by Hon. Solon E. Low, provincial treasurer and minister of education.

The bills fell due on Sept. 1 and Oct. 1, and although renewal had been requested by the province, it was withheld in both cases until this week. In the meantime, Mr. Low had conferred with Mr. Hisley in Ottawa, and the whole treasury bill question was taken under review by the two ministers.

The bills both carry three per cent interest. The first, which fell due at the beginning of September was for the amount of $500,000, and was used mainly for unemployment relief. The bill which came due in October was for $1,500,000, and it was all used for unemployment relief. Both bills had been renewed annually by the senior government as they came due.

Mr. Low, commenting on the renewals in Edmonton, said they were "encouraging."

Before the Magistrate

Daniel C. Lynch, charged before Magistrate A. L. Miller, K.C., in city police court Wednesday morning with conducting a lottery and keeping a gaming house, was remanded for one week to the next criminal sittings of the supreme court. Bail was set at $1,000 on his own recognizance.

Evidence given by members of the city police department showed that detectives visited a carnival supposedly operating under the auspices of the Chinese Benevolent League, and held in the Checker Taxi Garage, at which the accused appeared in charge.

Lynch was interviewed Sept. 21, at which time he was told that some young boys hanging around the games were under age and should not be there.

Two days later, another detective visited the carnival, in company with two other officers, and inside the garage found that Lynch had been turned over to the bank, for the Chinese Fund, as had been proved by the bank manager, and the money was to be donated to the Chinese Relief Fund, it was stated.

A paper, purported to be an agreement with the War Services Council, was exhibited as evidence.

Among the attractions at the carnival, stated Detective Wilkins, were wheels of chance, dice games, booths, dance platform. A large crowd was in attendance, he said, adding that a check was made on two youths, under 16 years of age, who assisted the operators of dice games.

A city license inspector told the court that he had spoken to Lynch on Aug. 19, when the latter made application to hold the carnival, which, he said, was in aid of the Chinese Relief Fund. The license was granted Aug. 26, and expired Sept. 24, continue, the witness, who said he personally handed the letter of cancellation to the accused on that day.

Wallace Miller, owner of the Checker Taxi garage, stated that he had arranged with the accused for the use of those premises, providing the building, then under construction, had a roof on it, and also providing the necessary license to carry on business was obtained.

Another magistrate's court showing that equipment to the value of $600 be placed in the building, by another party, was also read to the court.

Lawrence Beal, found guilty on two charges of assault, was assessed $15 or 21 days on the first charge, and $10 or 14 days on the second, terms to run consecutively. Complainants in the cases were Mah Woong and Mah Moke, of the Union cafe, 9½ street. Beal went into the cafe picked up a torn menu, asked for another, and, when told to pay for the torn one or get out, he proceeded to pick a fight, the court was told.

Beal complained that one of the Chinese hit him with a broom. The latter did not deny it because the accused had given him " a lick on the jaw."

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Ohio has more cities with populations greater than 100,000 than any other state in the Union.

Official Praises Alberta Farmers

Farmers in Alberta deserve real credit for the manner in which they came forward and offered their services to the packing plant industry at a time when a serious labor shortage threatened production of meat, according to A. O. MacLachlan, acting manager of the local office of the Unemployment Insurance and Selective Service Commission.

Mr. MacLachlan said "We are now hoping they will respond in a like manner for work in another essential industry, the lumber and logging camps." The lumbering industry requires 1,200 men almost at once to get the various camps manned and ready to start operations.

Mr. MacLachlan suggested that farmers not needed on the farms until March 31 and who would be willing to do this essential work, apply to their local district agricultural or farm labor board representative.

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Handbag Taken

His handbag, containing two pairs of stockings, some doughnuts, and four ration books for his family, was taken from a counter in a cafe Edmonton store, George McKeever, 11807 102 street, informed city police Tuesday. He had laid the bag down for a short time.

Youth Is Killed In North Accident

One youth was killed, a girl seriously injured and several children bruised and shaken when a truck skidded into a ditch about 13 miles north of Grimshaw Monday night.

Hellen Eguel, 19 years old, was killed and Betty Hirmer, 18, was taken to Peace River hospital for treatment.

The truck was being driven by Frank Eguel who was using the truck to carry a group between the ages of four and 20 to a picture show. Some children were in the cab and others in the rear of the truck when the accident occurred.

The truck swung to the right on the gravel road and when the driver attempted to get back to the centre of the road it skidded into the ditch turning over and pinning the victim beneath it.

The accident was investigated by R.C.M.P. officers from Peace River who said an inquest was unnecessary.

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Ration Documents Taken From Nazis

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(CP-Anetal)—Netherlands patriots have made two raids on Nazi railways carrying rationing documents, it was reported yesterday, in the latest of a series of attacks aimed at disrupting the German distribution system and providing ration cards for men who have gone underground.

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Tonight's Programs

5.00—The Farmer. CFRN.
News. CJCA.
Melody range. CKUA.
Singing for pleasure. CKUA. CBK
5.15—Kiddies' program. CJCA.
Yarns for Youth. CFRN.
French program. CBK.
Interplanetary report. CKUA. CBK
5.30—Men in scarlet. CFRN.
News and interlude. CKUA. CBK.
5.45—Lum 'n' Abner. CBS.
Today's adventure. CFRN.
Songs of the people. CKUA. CBK.
6.00—Musicale. CJCA.
Duffy's Tavern. CFRN.
Dinner Music. CKUA.
Mr. and Mrs. North. NBC.
Sammy Kaye orch. CBS.
6.15—Week End Review. CKUA.
6.30—The Lone Ranger. CJCA.
Dinner music. CFRN.
Dr. Christian. CBS.
Peter and Peggy time. CKUA. CBK
6.45—News. CFRN.
Educational forum. CKUA.
7.00—Green Hornet. CJCA.
Burns & Allen. CFRN.
Symphony hour. CKUA.
Eddie Cantor. NBC.
Major Bowes hour. CBS.
7.30—Chopin cycle. CKUA. CBK.
Meditations. CFRN.
Alan Young. CJCA.
Fred Waring. CBS.
District attorney. NBC.
Jack Carson show. CBS.
7.45—Paul Sullivan reads. CFRN.
Behind the headlines. CKUA.
8.00—News. CJCA. CFRN. CKUA.
Musical cookie. NBC.
Great moments in music. CBS.
8.15—Music from Armed Forces.
People on the march. CJCA.
Post-war reconstruction. CKUA.
8.30—Labor forum. CJCA.
Farm and home hour. CKUA.
In your window. CBS.
8.45—French program. CBK.
The dance parade. CFRN.
9.00—Musical menu. CJCA.
Your true story. CFRN.
Alberta Farm and Home Forum. CKUA.
Fred Waring orch. NBC.
I love a mystery. CBS.
9.15—Fr. I. and II. Correspondence. CKUA.
Harkness of Washington. NBC.
Harry James orch. CBS.
9.30—C.F.U. talk. CFRN.
Yesterday, today and tomorrow. CJCA. CKUA.
Sign off. CKUA.
Beat the band. NBC.
Bible drama. CBS.
9.45—News. CJCA.
Sign-off. CKUA.
10.00—News. CJCA.
Music as you like it. CFRN.
Your hymns and mine. CBS.
10.15—Mystery time. CJCA.
10.15—Musical sketches. CFRN.
Dance night. CJCA.
10.30—The music makers. CFRN.
Red Nichols orch. NBC.
Design for dancing. NBC.
10.45—Masters of music. CKUA.
11.00—News. CFRN. CJCA. CBK.
Hollywood reporter. NBC.
Masterworks. CBS.
11.15—Wayne King orch. CBS.
11.30—Sign-off. CFRN.
Sign-off. CJCA.
George Olsen orch. NBC.
Les Brown orch. CBS.

Thursday Morning

8.25—Sound-off. CJCA.
8.30—Personal album. CFRN.
Melody round-up. CJCA.
9.00—Farm forum. CJCA.
Marching to victory. CFRN.
Breakfast club. CBS.
9.15—Cowboy show. CJCA.
9.30—Family quiz. CFRN.
Great music. CBS.
Musical clock and news. CJCA.
9.45—Time and tunes. CFRN.
10.00—News CFRN. CJCA.
Bible broadcast. CFRN.
Musical reveille. CJCA.
10.30—Sunday school. CJCA.
10.45—Grain news. CJCA.
Opening Exercises. CBK.
Devotions. CBK.
11.00—The Early show. CFRN.
Road of life. CJCA. CBK.
11.15—News in French. CBK.
Chapel music. CFRN.
Music. CJCA.
11.30—Musical comedy time. CFRN.
Soldiers wife. CJCA. CBK.
11.45—Mrs. I. G. Jackson. CFRN.
12.00—News. CJCA. CFRN. CBK.
Voice of women. CFRN.
12.15—Big sister. CJCA. CBK.
Sweet dance. CFRN.
Records. CBK.
12.30—Columbia broadcast of the air. CFRN.
Home front. CJCA.
12.45—Dance time in England. CFRN.
Music. CJCA.
12.59—Your hostess. CFRN.
Police Bulletins. CBK.
Club calendar. CJCA.
1.15—The happy gang. CJCA.
Great Gildersleeve. CFRN.
1.45—Claire Wallace. They tell me so. CJCA.
Stars of week. CFRN.
Sign-on and interlude. CKUA.

Thursday Afternoon

12.00—Noonday chimes. CFRN. CJCA.
News. CBK. CKUA.
12.15—Sports parade. CFRN.
Mid-day musicale. CKUA.
12.30—The noon show. CFRN.
News. CJCA.
Farm and Home Broadcast. CKUA. CBK.
12.45—Grain prices. CJCA.
Organ time. CFRN.
1.00—Women of America. CJCA.
Interplanetary report. CFRN.
Variety time. CKUA.
1.15—Ma Perkins. CJCA. CBK.
Curtain Calls. They tell me. CFRN.
Stars of CJCA.
1.30—Pepper Young. CJCA. CBK.
Songs from America. CFRN.
1.45—Right to happiness. CJCA.
2.00—N. Sledge. CJCA. CBK.
Shopping Reporter. CFRN.
2.15—Women's world. CJCA.
Ch. of the air. CFRN.
2.25—Rightown. CJCA.
2.30—Children's hour. CFRN.
John Charles Thomas. CJCA.
Farm and Home hour. CKUA.
2.45—Invitation to the waltz. CKUA.
3.00—Front line family. CFRN. CJCA.
News. CKUA. CBK.
Invitation to waltz. CKUA.
3.15—Woodell Hall. CFRN.
Harry James. CJCA.
Music you want. CKUA.
3.30—News. CJCA.
Afternoon song. CFRN.
Afternoon symphony. CKUA.
3.45—Children's hour. CJCA.
Listeners' favorites. CFRN.
4.00—Western five. CJCA. CBK.
Dance time. CFRN.
4.15—Musical program. CJCA.
Music for children. CKUA.
4.30—Indiana indigo. CFRN.
Sportlight. CJCA.
French programs. CBK.
Art appreciation. CKUA.
4.45—News. CFRN.
Operatic excerpts. CKUA.
Music. CJCA.

Thursday Evening

5.00—The Farmer. CFRN.
Bandstand with rhythm. CJCA. CBK.
Sound Ed. CJCA.
Fanny Brice. NBC.
Dinner hour. CBS.
5.15—Kiddies program. CJCA.
Show time. CFRN.
Music as you like it. CKUA.
5.30—Service scouts. CFRN.
News and interlude. CKUA. CBK
5.45—Today's children. CFRN.
Lum 'n Abner. CJCA.
6.00—Music by Kostelanetz. CFRN.
Voice of victory. CJCA.
Dinner music. CKUA.
6.15—Gateway news. CKUA.
6.30—Adventure in music. CFRN.
Dinner hour. CJCA.
Concert in miniature. CKUA.
Masters of music. NBC.
Lum and Abner. CBS.
6.45—News. CFRN.
Sports reports. CJCA.
7.00—Kraft music hall. CJCA. NBC.
Mail call. CFRN.
Red Skelton show. CBS.
Major Bowes show. CBS.
7.30—Fred Waring. CJCA.
Fighting navy. CJCA.
Bob Burns. CBS.
Dinah Shore program. CBS.
7.45—Sports roundup. CJCA.
Dave Rose orch. CBS.
8.00—Gabriel Heatter. CJCA. CBK.
Abbott and Costello. NBC.
Fred Astaire. CBS.
8.15—Cesar Saerchinger. CBK.
Tchaikov. CJCA.
8.30—The Army. U.S.A.F. band. CFRN
Chat to farm people. CKUA.
Spotlight band. CJCA.
8.45—March of time. NBC.
Lowell Thomas. CBS.
Stars in melody. CBS.
8.55—Leonard Berezoff. CJCA.
9.00—Thank you for CFRN.
Music to remember. CJCA.
Music for you. CKUA.
U.S. Marines. CBS.
9.30—Hollywood theatre. CFRN.
Film preview. CJCA.
Music for dancing. NBC.
Credit Unions. CKUA.
Gangbusters. CBS.
9.15—C.C.F. CJCA.
Concert at close of day. CKUA.
Join all Canada. NBC.
Harry James orch. CBS.
9.30—U.S.A. CJCA.
Waltz serenade. CFRN.
Music of many countries. CKUA.
Fanny Brice comedy. NBC.
9.45—Sports roundup. CFRN.
Music. CJCA.
10.00—News. CJCA.
Two generations meet. CBS.
10.00—News CJCA.
From east to west. CFRN.
Sign-off. CKUA.
Glenn Miller band. CBS.
Soldiers of the press. CBS.
10.15—War correspondent. CJCA.
Dave Munro orch. CBS.
10.30—In a fog. CJCA.
Frank Morgan. CJCA.
Music of romance. CKUA.
Detective drama. NBC.
10.45—Masterworks of music. CKUA.
Jan Garber orch. CBS.
11.00—News. CFRN. CJCA. CBK.
Masterworks. CBS.
Hollywood reporter. NBC.
11.15—Tommy Dorsey orch. CFRN.
Tchaikovsky. CJCA.
Sound-up. CJCA.
11.30—Sign-off. CFRN.
George Olsen orch. NBC.
Les Brown orch. CBS.

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Switchman Injured When Hit by Truck

Charles Wallace, 11501 54 street, Canadian National Railways switchman, received injuries to his left arm, after being struck by a truck driven by Hymie Newman, 10236 97 street, at the southern approach to the low level bridge, at 7.20 p.m. Tuesday. Wallace, who had been standing on the rear footboard of the backing locomotive, told police he had been unable to get out of the way of the approaching truck.

J. D. Scouler, 11615 96 street, engineer, stated that a string of cars was being pulled over the bridge, with bell ringing and whistle blowing for the crossing. About three-quarters of the way across, he said, he saw the truck pass another car which had stopped at the crossing. When he saw Newman intended to not going to stop, he applied his brakes, the train stopping almost immediately. The truck struck the wooden beam across the rear of the engine, where Wallace was standing.

Newman told authorities that he thought the car in front of him had stopped because it was giving trouble. He was riding behind the train before he noticed it.

Wallace stated that he estimated the speed of the truck at between 25 and 30 miles an hour. The train was moving over the bridge between four and five miles an hour, Scouler said.

V

Maj. R. J. Pratley Now Paymaster

Headquarters of Military District No. 13 in Calgary announced Wednesday that Maj. A. J. Davis, E.D., has been retired as district records officer of this military district, which position he has held since September, 1939. He is succeeded by Maj. R. J. Pratley, M.S.M.

Major Davis enlisted in the Calgary Highlanders, N.P.A.M., on Jan. 7, 1921, as pay sergeant of the unit and served continuously with the Highlanders until his appointment as District Records Officer of M.D. No. 13 in September, 1939. At the time of his appointment he held the rank of major and paymaster of the Calgary Highlanders, N.P.A.M.

His successor, Maj. R. J. Pratley, enlisted in the last Great War with the Roy. C.F.C. in April, 1914, and served in France until demobilized in October, 1919. Following the last Great War, Major Pratley, who resided in Edmonton and was employed by the provincial government, enlisted in the Edmonton Regiment, N.P.A.M., in 1930. He was commissioned in 1932 and appointed adjutant of the unit in 1936. At the outbreak of war in September, 1939, he was appointed adjutant of the 1st Bn. Edmonton Regiment. In September, 1940, he was appointed adjutant of the Camrose Training Centre and was posted to the Wetaskiwin Basic Training Centre in May, 1942.

3 Winnipeg Men Will Stand Trial

Joseph Burkowsk commonly known as Joe Burke, James Van Alkin, and Joseph Wyczak, all of Winnipeg, were remanded Wednesday to the next sitting of the supreme court here on charges of conspiring with three Edmontonians to transport liquor from Manitoba to Edmonton. Overlying their committal Magistrate H. L. Hawe fixed bail at $3,000 each.

Charges against Fred A. and John Sawchuk, and Albert J. Moss will be dealt with at court sittings Wednesday afternoon.

The three Winnipeg accused also face charges of conspiring to defraud the inland revenue of revenue through traffic in illicit liquor, and also with being in illegal possession of liquor. They were remanded on these counts, the bail on the other charge covering these indictments.

V

Communities Plan Civic Discussion

One of the many public functions of the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues is to stimulate interest in civic affairs and in the improvement of the community in general. At monthly meetings much time is spent in discussing civic betterment, so that this Tuesday's meeting in the city council chamber the executive has arranged an especially important address on the ward system of civic government as applied to Edmonton, in which the audience will participate. The meeting starts at 8 p.m., and the public is invited. Six regular delegates from each league will be present.

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Air Power

by

Maj. Alexander P. de Seversky

The successful occupation of the Gilbert group of islands in the central Pacific represents a tactical action of which Americans have every right to be proud. Aware of the heavy cost of amphibious warfare the American command showed high wisdom in amassing a terrific preponderance of force. Land, sea and air units co-operated with fine efficiency. Above all, our men showed magnificent courage and determination—and it was that, which in the final check-up, brought us victory.

The taking of the Gilberts, however, must also be considered in the larger strategic picture. It is another step in the island-by-island approach to the main citadel of enemy power, Japan itself. And the first thing that needs to be noted is that amphibious undertakings—a series of land invasions from the sea—are the most extravagant of all military actions, particularly in the investment of human lives.

Major Alexander P. de Seversky

Because the Gilberts are too small to permit the concentration of strong air power, losses among our naval forces were small. Had the areas been suitable for substantial air strength, the destruction of our ships would have been as great as the loss of lives among our marines. We were able to neutralize air power on the Marshalls, a few hundred miles away, so that the Japanese in the Gilberts were virtually deprived of air support.

The main resistance was encountered on the small island of Betio, which is only about two miles long and a thousand or so yards wide. Against this tiny strip we brought to bear a gigantic naval force of battleships, cruisers, destroyers and transports, tens of thousands of personnel manning this force, and at least a thousand airplanes.

TERRIFIC GAMBLE

Such overwhelming power of men and machines was needed to conquer a two-by-four island, defended only by 4,000 Japanese, at a cost of thousands of American lives. And even at that, we were taking a terrific gamble. As a British war correspondent, Henry Keys, wrote: "Rear Admiral Harry Hill, who commanded the operation, told me that had the enemy been able to sink but one of our transports we might well have suffered the most humiliating and galling defeat." This gives us a hint of what the island-by-island strategy will be like. Hundreds of islands must be overcome in the amphibious advance before we are within reach of Tokyo.

In attacking the Gilberts we made contact only with the outermost fringe of the Japanese sphere of control, on the extreme end of enemy supply lines. We must face the fact that as we move into the interior of this Japanese sphere, where Japanese supply lines are shorter, resistance will be constantly increased—roughly in inverse proportion to the distance. In other words, when we reach half-way between the Gilberts and Japan itself, we are likely to run into fortified islands of much greater defensive power, so that both the resistance and our losses will be doubled.

Moreover, in the case of Betio and the other Gilberts we brought immense force against very small islands, incapable of containing enough defensive power. When we strike at bigger islands with greater defenses, the cost to us will be proportionately higher. Thus, as we approach Japan, our losses will mount and mount, until the cost becomes prohibitive and the forward movement must stop.

That will happen when we reach enemy positions under the shield of Japanese land-based aviation. At those points the naval offensive must come to a standstill, because our tactical aviation based on carriers and on small land bases will be unable to cope with enemy air power based on Japan and on large land areas like the Philippines, Sumatra, Java, Indo-China, Malaya. We will be stymied until we can smash the industrial might of Japan proper, weakening it sufficiently to undermine its land-based air power.

The writer is convinced that those planning the naval offensive against Japan—in which the Gilbert battle is an initial step—are likely to undergo the same experience as certain military men who urged an invasion of Europe from the very outset. Through bitter disappointments and heavy losses, these military men finally realized that invasion could not be accomplished until Germany itself, as the source of Nazi power, was sufficiently softened from the skies and sheared of its Luftwaffe strength. British and American air power is now on the way to achieving this purpose, to the point where invasion may become practical.

The naval minds will have to go through the same cycle. They still feel that with great preponderance of force they can put over a direct amphibious strategy. But in the end they will recognize that they must anchor and wait until air power destroys—not every island in the Pacific—but the enemy's war-making machine inside Japan. Only then, when Japan is denuded of its land-based air power and we attain dominance in the skies over the whole area of conflict, will the navy be able to enter Japanese waters. Those waters are forbidden to us as long as they are covered by hostile land-based aviation.

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Official List Of Casualties

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—The Royal Canadian Navy, in its 217th casualty list of the war containing two names, Tuesday reported death from natural causes in R.C.N. hospital at Sydney, N.S., Nov. 11, of Able Seaman Jack Henry Bible, whose father, John Henry Bible, lives at 9266 110A Ave., Edmonton.

AB Bible, a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, had official number V12814.

The navy also reported that AB Thomas Bernard Smith of New Westminster, B.C., previously reported missing on war service, now is presumed dead as of Aug. 27 last. AB Smith was a member of the R.C.N. with official number 3722. His mother, Mrs. Olive Smith, lives at New Westminster.

R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA, Dec. 8.—(CP)—The R.C.A.F. last night issued its 747th casualty list of the war containing 26 names, including two killed on active service overseas, one dead of injuries suffered on active service overseas, 10 missing on active service after overseas air operations and four killed on active service in Canada.

Following is the latest list of casualties with official numbers and next-of-kin:

OVERSEAS

KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Forrester, Robert Lorraine, FS., R61-171. R. W. Forrester (father), Bromhead, Sask.

Scott, William Douglas, FS., R122344. W. M. Scott (father), Milton, Ont.

DIED OF INJURIES SUSTAINED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Hardcastle, Charles McDowall, WO, R119230. J. W. Hardcastle (father), Nanaimo, B.C.

MISSING ON ACTIVE SERVICE AFTER AIR OPERATIONS

Arnold, Walter Gray, PO., 122114. L. A. Arnold (father), 11310 99 Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Balloch, James Hamilton, PO., J23131. Mrs. Matthew Balloch (mother), Vancouver, B.C.

Greenland, Charles James Donald, FS., J12661. Mrs. C. J. D. Greenland (wife), Kimberley, B.C.

Hawken, Ralph Edward, FS., R81068. Mrs. W. F. Hawken (mother), Darlingford, Man.

Hill, Rowland Wilkins, PO., J11584. Rowland Hill, Jr. (father), London, Ont.

Robertson, Harold Samuel, Sgt., R71382. Samuel McCartney (father), Vancouver, B.C.

Shuter, Sydney Aubrey, FS., R110670. Henry Minter (father), Winnipeg, Man.

Wood, Alexander, Sgt., R91895. C. Stobbell (father), Winnipeg, Man.

Raymond, Gordon Ian, PO., C17472. R. E. Raymond (father), 3834 116 Ave., Beverly, Edmonton, Alta.

Schlansky, Irvin, PO., 214203. Nathan Schlansky (father), Johannesburg, South Africa.

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MISSING ON ACTIVE SERVICE—NOW FOR OFFICIAL PURPOSES PRESUMED DEAD

Birkbeck, Albert Frederick, Sgt., R102142. Charles Birkbeck (father), Weyburn, Sask.

Bisset, William McManus, Sgt., R106-660. William Bisset (father), Goderich, Ont.

Darling, Gordon Johnston, Sgt., R114354. Mrs. G. J. Darling (wife), Ottawa, Ont.

Fowler, Reginald John Leake, FO., J22529. R. C. Fowler (father), New Liskeard, Ont.

Griffin, Robert George, Sgt., R80454. Mrs. George Griffin (mother), Whitby, Ont.

Hamilton, James Douglas, Sgt., R102350. James Hamilton (father), Kenaston, Sask.

Henoke, Werner Charles, Sgt., R96354. Mrs. W. C. Henoke (mother), Rocky River, Ohio.

Keith, Alan Lionel, FS., R5606. L. S. Keith, (father), Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Porter, Reginald Frank Charles, Sgt., R71398. Mrs. R. F. C. Porter (wife), Winnipeg, Man.

CANADA

KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Butler, John Stanley, PO., J22616.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

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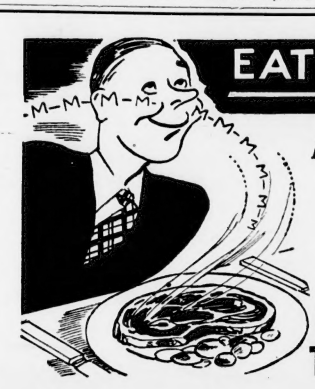
Mihailovic Will Fight Partisans

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The Zurich correspondent of the Stockholm newspaper Dagens Nyheter reported today that Gen. Draja Mihailovic has issued a proclamation declaring his Chetniks would fight the partisan forces of Gen. Josip Broz (Tito) as enemies of the Yugoslav government in Cairo.

The partisans on Saturday announced establishment of a provisional government within Yugoslavia in opposition to King Peter's government. It is headed by Dr. Ivan Ribar, with Tito chairman of a new committee for national defence.

Mihailovic denied any collaboration with the Germans, Italians, or Nedic forces, and said that as minister of war in King Peter's government he was trying to defend the government's interest.



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43 Pair (abbr.)
44 And (Latin)
45 Missouri (abbr.)
47 Biblical pronoun
49 Per
50 Senior (abbr.)
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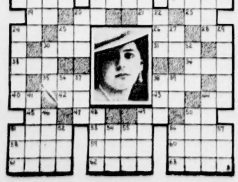

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"Hickory" Cotton

Cotton yarn for crocheting and knitting. Ecru color only—approximately 800 yards to a skein ..... SKEIN, **49c**

—Wool Section, Main Floor

GIFTS and TOYS FOR GIRLS and BOYS

Stand-Up Slate

Stand-up style slate—in natural finished hardwood frames. A gift to please any youngster ..... EACH, **$2.50**

Sweeping Set

A five-piece cleaning set for the young housekeeper! In the set are: a push broom, dust mop, duster, dust pan and apron ..... SET, **79c**

Hay Wagon

A grand pull-toy for the children. Horse and wagon measure about 12 inches—stands about 14 inches high. EACH **75c**

Wood Burning Set

Safe instructional and educational! Each set is complete with an electric burner, designs and instructions. SET, **$3.25** and **$6.25**

Pictorial Jig Saw

A 450-piece jig saw puzzle depicting an outdoor scene. Fun and entertainment for the whole family. EACH, **49c**

—Toyland, Lower Floor

FOODATERIA SELF-SERVE

These Foods on Sale at Slightly Higher Delivered Prices in the Service Grocery—Dial 9-1-2

ON SALE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, DEC. 9 AND 10

MARMALADE, Aylmer 3 Fruit, 24-oz. Jar, 4 D coupons 33c
JAM, Aylmer Raspberry, 4-lb. tin, 8 D coupons 63c
WESTMINSTER BATHROOM TISSUE ..... 10 rolls 45c
BAKING POWDER, Nabob, 16-oz. tin 20c
CREAMERY BUTTER, EATON'S Sunglo or Imperial, First Grade Butter ..... 2 lbs. $1.08
FRY'S BREAKFAST COCOA, 1-lbs. tin 21c, ½-lb. tin 19c
CORN STARCH, Canada Brand, pkt. 10c
COFFEE, EATON'S Sunglo Blend Fresh Ground, Lb. 35c

Fruits

On Sale Thursday and Friday

CARRY AND SAVE
No C.O.D. Orders
APPLES, Northern Spy, Ont. Box $2.80
APPLES, Wagner, Fancy, Box $3.00
APPLES, Rome Beauty, Ont. Box $2.80
GRAPEFRUIT, Texas, 96's ..... 2 for 22c
LEMONS, 360's ..... 6 for 10c
FROSTED CANTALOUPE, 15-oz. cup 27c
FROSTED BLACKBERRIES, 15-oz. cup 27c
FROSTED RASPBERRIES, 15-oz. cup 39c
FROSTED GREEN BEANS, 12-oz. carton 21c
FROSTED CORN COBS ..... 2 for 17c
ONIONS, Boilers, Lb. 5c
POTATOES, Netted Gems ..... 10 lbs. 21c
APPLES, McIntosh, Fancy, Box $3.40
APPLES, Delicious, Ont. Box $2.95
CRANBERRIES, Cape Cod, Lb. 40c
GRAPES, Emperor, Lb. 22c
LEMONS, 300's ..... 4 for 21c
TOMATOES, Hothouse, Lb. 37c
CELERY, Utah, Lb. 10c
PARSNIPS, Washed, Lb. 7c
CARROTS, Washed, Lb. 4c
SWEET POTATOES, Lb. 15c

PAPER NAPKINS, Perkin's Victory, pkt. 250's 25c
DR. JACKSON'S ROMAN MEAL, pkt. 29c
COX'S GELATINE, pkt. 17c
WHITE NAVY BEANS ..... 4 lbs. 22c
CHIPSO SOAP FLAKES, Large pkt. 24c
OXYDOL SOAP POWDER, Large pkt. 24c
P. & G. WHITE NAPTHA SOAP ..... 5 bars 24c
LUX TOILET SOAP, Bar 6c
HERRINGS IN TOMATO SAUCE, Gold Seal, No. 1 tins ..... 2 for 27c
CORN SYRUP, 2½-lb. Glass, 3 D coupons 40c
WAX PAPER, Kitchenette, 100-ft. roll 17c
CORN FLAKES, Post's, Pkt. 7c
GRAPE NUTS FLAKES ..... 2 pkts. 17c
SAVAGE WATER, Bleaching Fluid, bottle 13c
PEACHES, Hurford, 20-oz. tin, 2 D Coupons 18c
PEARS, Aylmer Fancy Bartlett, 20-oz. tin, 2 D Coupons 23c
CLAMS, Clover Leaf Brand, Whole Butter, tall tin 27c
KIPPERED SNACKS, Mepinsto Brand, 4-oz. tin 14c

Rapid Shipment to EATON'S

White Spring Salmon Steak

Shop Early—Limited Quantity

White Spring Salmon Steak—a wholesome, delicious treat for Thursday's dinner! Shop for yours early—the quantity is limited ..... Lb. **22c**

—Fish Counter, Lower Floor

Meats Fish

On Sale Thursday and Friday

UNRATIONED MEATS
PORK LIVER, Sliced, Lb. 12c
PORK HEARTS, Lb. 11c
BEEF LIVER, Sliced, Lb. 24c
CALF TONGUES, Lb. 20c
PORK KIDNEYS, Lb. 13c
CHOPPED SUET, Lb. 14c
PIG TAILS, Lb. 7c
NECK BONES, Lb. 6c
ENGLISH BRAWN, Sliced, Lb. 20c
JELLIED VEAL, Sliced, ½ Lb. 20c
WIENERS, Lb. 24c

DIAMOND "E" QUALITY MEATS
For Delivery, Dial 9-1-2
BABY BEEF,
SPECIAL QUALITY
Group D—ROUND BONE ROAST, Lb. 28c
Group D—BLADE BONE ROAST, Lb. 26c
Group C—PRIME RIB ROAST, Lb. 35c
Group C—RUMP ROAST, Lb. 36c
Group C—SIRLOIN ROAST, Lb. 38c
MILK FED VEAL
Group C—RUMP ROAST, Lb. 31c
Group C—SIRLOIN ROAST, Lb. 33c
Group D—ROUND BONE ROAST, Lb. 26c
Group D—BLADE BONE ROAST, Lb. 24c

POULTRY—UNRATIONED
GEESE, Fresh Killed, Lb. 26c
DUCKS, Fresh Killed, Lb. 28c
CHOICE BOILING FOWL 30c
SPRING ROASTING CHICKEN, Lb. ..... 34c and 36c

FISH—UNRATIONED
HALIBUT CHEEKS, Lb. 42c
FRESH COD STEAK, Lb. 29c
COHOE SALMON STEAK, Lb. 33c
FRESH POINT GREY HERRING, Lb. 18c
WHITEFISH, Whole, Lb. 20c
FRESH SKINNED SKATE, Lb. 17c
SMOKED BLACK COD, Lb. 45c

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EATON'S WIDE SELECTIONS HELP YOU IN GIFT SHOPPING

Gowns for Christmas Giving

Prettiest of dainty lingerie—delightful for gift giving. Beautiful gowns in rich rayon satin or crepe—styled to please the most exacting taste. Plain and figured patterns—colors of tearose, blue and white. Small, medium and large sizes. EACH, **$3.98**

Women's Lovely Slips

Slim fitting slips in gleaming rayon satin. Neatly tailored or daintily trimmed with fine lace. Bias cut styles in tearose and white—sizes 32 to 42 ..... EACH, **$1.98**

Dainty Satin Panties

Women's rayon satin panties with flared leg and lace trim. Lovely gift suggestion! Tearose and white in small, medium and large sizes ..... PAIR, **$1.00**

Braemore Vests

Favorite EATON Branded Line well known for fine quality and long wear! Knitted rayon vests in built-up shoulder style—easy to wash and no ironing required! Colors of tearose and white—medium and large sizes. EATON'S BRAEMORE VALUE ... PAIR, **59c**

Braemore Panties

Slim fitting panties to match the vests. Banded knee style in colors of tearose and white. Medium and large sizes. EATON'S BRAEMORE VALUE, PAIR, **65c**

—Lingerie, Second Floor

WRAP HER UP!

Luxurious Gift Robes

No one will question Santa's popularity when he leaves one of these beneath the tree on Christmas morning! They're the softest, easiest robes you could possibly imagine—in velvety rayon flannel, beautifully padded! Wraparound and zipper styles—plain and floral patterns. Glowing shades of blue, tearose, wine, turquoise, rose and black, too. Sizes 14 to 40. EACH,

$15.95 to $35.00

—If desired, Budget Plan Terms in accordance with Wartime Prices and Trade Regulations, may be arranged.

—Housecoats, Second Floor

Gifts of Christmas Scent-iment

Apple Blossom Gift Set

Delightful Apple Blossom set containing face powder and perfume! Attractively boxed ..... SET, **55c**

Ponds' Gift Sets

Dainty sets containing cold cream, vanishing cream, Danya lotion and face powder ..... SET, **$1.10**

Apple Blossom Colognes

Delicate Apple Blossom fragrance for a delightful, yet inexpensive Christmas gift. BOTTLE,

55c and 75c

Gift Sets

Daggett and Ramsdell's gift sets —tissue cream, beauty cream and lotion ..... SET, **75c**

Cologne Sets

De Raymond cologne sets—two bottles of delightful fragrance in each gift box. Devility, Pine, Apple Blossom and Mimzy are the scents for your choice ..... SET, **$1.15**

Old English Lavender Shaving Sets

Old English Lavender shaving sets—long-time favorite with men ..... SET, **75c**

Huntly Club Sets for Men

Shaving bowl and talcum in an attractive gift box. SET,

59c

Shaving Sets

Nicely boxed set containing shaving stick, lotion and hair tonic. SET,

59c

Birkdale Sets for Men

Birkdale—a favorite EATON Branded Line! Shaving bowl and lotion in the set. EATON BIRKDALE VALUE. SET,

$1.25

Aywon Shaving Sets

A complete set containing shaving stick, after-shave lotion and lotion, hair tonic and tooth powder. SET,

98c

—Gift Bazaars, Second Floor

Provides Extra Warmth and Wear!

Here is a splendid yarn for those heavy Winter hand knits—men's and boys' socks, mitts, sweaters and scarves. The alpaca yarn that's soft and silky, firm textured and very warm. Brown in 3- and 4-ply, grey in 4-ply only. Approximate 1-ounce skeins ..... SKEIN, **25c**

—Wool Section, Main Floor

PLEASE HER WITH A TRAY!

She'll be pleased as punch if she finds one of these beautiful trays under the tree on Christmas morning—visit EATON'S Gift Counter on the Lower Floor and choose from the wide assortment.

Beautiful Caribcraft Trays

Individual chairs in these lovely mahogany trays—beauties that are bound to please as gifts at Christmas time! Oval and oblong shapes —leaf trays, fish shapes—they're all here for your choice. Attractively priced at ..... EACH, $1.85 to $5.75

Wooden Bowls

So many uses for these good looking wooden bowls! Some have footed stands and all are daintily decorated in fruit, vegetable and floral designs. EACH

$7.50 to $9.75

Hostess Trays

We can't think of a single hostess who wouldn't like one of these lovely serving trays. Beautifully made of wood, some with individual serving dishes and tumblers. EACH $4.75

Round Wooden Trays

Smart wooden trays—some plain, others with bright fruit, vegetable or flower designs. A few have stands under. EACH, $1.75 to $4.75

Round Mexican Trays

Delightfully designed wooden trays in round shape with bright floral patterns for effective contrast. Gift-worthy, indeed, and low priced. EACH,

$2.85

Smart Trays

Wide array of lovely metal trays. Round shape have colorful Mexican designs—glass inserts. Oblong style features gay floral and fruit designs. EACH, $2.00 to $3.50

Serving Trays

Wooden trays with glass tops. Three styles for choice—long narrow shape, oblong shape and hexagon shape. Plain colors with bright trims. EACH ..... $1.00 to $4.50

Gumwood Trays

Natural finished gumwood trays to an appropriate Brighton size. Very attractive and thrifty priced! EACH $1.65

Serving Trays

Wooden serving trays with glass tops—choice of attractive floral designs. Three approximate sizes. EACH, inches $1.75

EACH, inches $1.96

EACH, inches $2.15

Cream and Sugar Trays

Dark oak frame with simulated embossed base. Centre fitted with glass liner. Two approximate sizes. EACH, inches $1.95

EACH, inches $2.10

Rectangular Trays

Rich mahogany colored frame with tan hair and figured design in the centre. Size about 16½x11½ inches. Glass face. EACH $1.75

Household Trays

Household trays with a dark oak frame and mahogany base. Fancy tinted design—felt back and glass face. Size about ..... EACH, $2.35

Novelty Trays

Natural hardwood finish for these trays. Frames designed with personal figures, assorted designs for choice. Glass face on all trays. Three approximate sizes, 10x13 inches, 12x16½ inches and 14x18½ inches ..... EACH, $1.50

Novelty Trays

Glass face, frame pressed and colored to give a rope effect—very unusual and very smart! Centre panel consists of a light tan background and pictures of two dogs. Size about ..... EACH, 89c

—Woodenware, Lower Floor

GRAND GIFT SUGGESTIONS!

Full Fashioned Hose

All First Quality!

- Lovely 7-thread service sheer rayon hose.
- Finished with cotton lisle welts, toes, heels and soles.
- Flattering array of new shades.
- Every pair full fashioned and first quality!
- Sizes 8½ to 10½ .... PAIR, **$1.00**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Embroidered Hankies

- Dainty white squares of Irish linen.
- Exquisitely embroidered in white or colors.
- Neat hemstitched and hand rolled hems.
- Buy them with an eye to gift-giving. EACH,

29c to 79c

—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

Give a Man a Gift He Can Wear

Give Him a Robe

. . . And Buy It at EATON'S!

Give him a robe and you're bound to be giving him something he's wanted for a long time! We've a fine array here at EATON'S —and more than that you'll notice that we've prices that are definitely on the right side of your budget! Below we list two groupings—see them Thursday!

GROUP 1—Fine rayon dressing gowns—smartly styled and finished with large shawl collar and sash in contrasting trim. Rich shades of blue, green and maroon—plain or patterned in eye-catching stripes or fancy polka dots. Roomy comfort in every one—sizes small, medium and large ..... EACH, **$9.95**

GROUP 2—Better quality corded rayons for these handsome gowns! Beautifully styled—good looking—comfortable! Shades of maroon, green and blue in fancy patterns—shawl collar, cuffs and sash in contrasting plain shades. Small, medium or large sizes ..... EACH, **$11.95**

—Men's Wear, Main Floor

Men's Dress Socks

Substandards at a Saving!

- Men's socks in a sturdy, long wearing mixture of wool-and-cotton.
- Fancy clock designs or plain patterns.
- Grand array of colors for choice.
- Sizes 10 to 11½. PAIR, **55c**

—Men's Socks, Main Floor

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Store Opens 9:30 a.m., Closes 5:30 p.m. Daily, Except Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.—To Call EATON'S, Dial 9-1-2

No Night Shopping at EATON'S

Shop from 9:30 until 5:30 daily—there will be no evening shopping this year at EATON'S!

Wednesday Shopping

EATON'S will only be open Wednesdays from 9:30 'til 12:30 — plan to shop early on Wednesdays—EATON'S will NOT BE OPEN on any Wednesday afternoon during December.

Gift Watches for Women!

1—Good looking model in a round white case with matching link or cord bracelet! Reliable 15-jewel movement! Smart gift, and a useful one ..... EACH, **$6.95**

2—Fancy yellow colored case enclosing a 15-jewel Swiss movement. Bracelet to match. A dainty timepiece to please some feminine heart at Christmas time ..... EACH, **$14.95**

3—Rolex Oyster—the gift of gifts for nurses and girls in the services! 17-jewel Swiss movement—waterproof, shock-resistant! Yellow colored case with sturdy leather strap—sweep second hand and luminous dial. EACH, **$49.50**

4—Grand watch for school girls! Round yellow colored case—clear dial with small second hand. 15-jewel Swiss movement. EACH ... **$12.50**

5—Famous Rolex model with 17-jewel movement in a fancy yellow colored case. Clearly marked dial. Wonderful suggestion for Christmas giving. EACH, **$35.00 to $42.50**

6—Small round yellow colored case—exquisitely designed. 17-jewel Swiss movement—clear, easy-to-read dial. EACH, **$15.95**

7—Attractive yellow colored case in a variety of pleasing shapes for your choice! Cord or link bracelet to match. 17-jewel Swiss movement. EACH, **$19.50**

Men's Wrist Watches

1—Handsome watch at a budget-wise price! Fancy white case with plain dial and small second hand—strong leather strap. 17-jewel movement. EACH, **$10.00**

2—Good looking round white thin model case with luminous or plain dial, leather strap. 15-jewel Swiss movement. Fine value. EACH, **$16.95**

3—Reliable 15-jewel Swiss movement in a rectangular shape, yellow colored case. Luminous dial—leather strap ..... EACH, **$15.00**

4—Sturdy watch with 15-jewel movement. White colored case—weather-resistant! Luminous dial with second hand—leather strap. EACH **$19.50**

5—Men's Marvin watch—designed to withstand the rigors of military life! 15-jewel movement. Water-resistant white colored case—anti-magnetic, sweep second hand, luminous dial. Leather strap ..... EACH, **$38.50**

6—Men's Rolex watch with observatory movement. Dustproof and anti-magnetic. Luminous dial, sweep second hand ..... EACH, **$59.50**

4—Attractive yellow colored case in oblong shape. 17-jewel movement—clearly marked, easy-to-read dial, leather strap ..... EACH, **$17.50**

La Salle Pocket Watch

Men's pocket watch in 16 size—15-jewel movement in yellow colored case. Clearly marked dial, second hand ..... EACH, **$35.00**

21—JEWEL LA SALLE RAILROAD DIAL . EACH, **$42.00**

7—Solar Aqua watches! 17-jewel Swiss movement in a burnished, stain-resistant case. Luminous dial—second hand and strong leather strap. EACH, **$32.50**

8—Another Solar Aqua model with 17-jewel Swiss movement in a burnished stain-resistant case. Luminous dial with full sweep second hand — leather strap. EACH, **$37.50**

Men's Service Watches

1—White colored weather-resistant case with clear, luminous dial, small second hand. 15-jewel movement. EACH, **$13.95**

2—Small, white colored military case —weather-resistant! 17-jewel movement—black or white dial, sweep second hand. EACH, **$25.00**

Watches are subject to the Federal Retail Tax of 25%.

—If desired, Budget Plan Terms in accordance with Wartime Prices and Trade Regulations, may be arranged on Watches at $15.00 and over.

—Watches, Main Floor

Useful Gifts are Always Welcome!

Shop for These Thursday!

GIFT SETS!

Smart Dresser Sets

Delightful Christmas gift at a small price! A brush, a comb and a mirror make up the set. Black with gilt-colored trim—very effective ..... 3-PIECE SET, **$1.98**

Dainty Boudoir Set

A brush, comb and mirror make up this pretty set! Mirror has bevelled edge—gilt colored trim on all pieces. Colors of rose, blue, green and ivory ..... 3-PIECE SET, **$5.95**

'Baby's Own' Gift Sets

Useful sets for baby's Christmas! Baby oil, powder and soap, boxed for gift-giving ..... SET, **$1.10**

Baby Sets

Little brush and comb sets for baby. Attractively gift boxed. SET, **$1.00**

Boudoir Sets

Five lovely pieces in these sets—brush, comb, mirror, cream and powder jars. Dainty colors of blue, rose and gold ..... 5-PIECE SET, **$4.95**

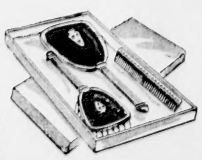
Plastic Boudoir Sets

Crystal clear plastics for these eye-delighting sets! Three pieces—brush, comb and bevelled edge mirror—beautifully made with attractive floral designs for trim. Pastel shades of rose and blue or white ..... 3-PIECE SET, **$9.95**

Dresser Set

Handsome gift, indeed—one of these lovely sets! Fine quality brush, comb and bevelled edge mirror in an attractive gilt colored finish ..... 3-PIECE SET, **$7.25**

—Brush Counter, Main Floor



Salt and Pepper Shakers

Handsome gift at a small price! Silver plated salt and pepper shakers in a variety of pleasing patterns. PAIR **$1.00**

Cream and Sugar

Gift-worthy pair, this cream and sugar. Handsome, too, in clear glass with a silver plated base. THE TWO **$1.25**

Relish Dishes

Beautiful and useful piece that immediately suggests itself for gift-giving! Combination sandwich and relish dish in clear sparkling glass—silver-plated cover on centre compartment ..... EACH, **$2.75**

Salad Bowls

You'll want to put this useful item on your gift list, too! Good size salad bowl in clear fluted glass—smart silver plated base. EACH, **$2.25**

Pie Casseroles

We'll miss our guess if Santa hasn't dozens of orders for these on his list! Pie plate is in clear Glasbake (trade name)—a glass that resists breakage by oven heat! Beautifully designed stand is silver plated ..... COMPLETE, **$4.95**

Salad Bowls

Inexpensive, yet admirably suited to gift-giving! Fluted glass bowl with servers in clear plastic ..... BOWL AND SERVERS, **$1.00**

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—Holloware, Main Floor

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